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Shirley Rosenkranz and Fran Powell pose outside their award-winning home.

Wistaria Hall receives award

Next time you drive by 169 N. Baldwin, you may see a sign that calls the house "Wistaria Hall."

If you look further, you'll see a sign that designates the home as the "Wistaria Award Winner" which means the home was chosen by the Sierra Madre Beautification Committee is the top beauty winner in Sierra Madre.

Shirley Rosenkranz, co-owner of the home with Fran Powell, calls it "the best of Grandma's farm house complete with vegetable garden and an orchard that is just starting to grow."

It took a small business loan "which didn't begin to cover costs of refurbishing" and much hard work to get this 1908 home to where it is — a beautiful, gracious lady that is proud of herself and how she looks.

The house is two stories with an attic and basement. There are five rooms upstairs and six down. Recycled cement was used to make walkways, a back patio was built with an arbor to suport an expanding wistaria vine, the front was slicked up with grass, stones, trees, and the back area was cleaned up so the pool could be shown off.

Actually, they have had the house for almost exactly three years since the negotiations began the weekend after Memorial Day, 1987. They originally thought of it as "a neat B and B" but then they fell in love with it and purchased the home from Judy Webb-Martin.

Shirley Rosenkranz already had a home on Alegria in Sierra Madre and Fran Powell already had a home in Laguna. However, they decided to purchase the house and transform her into what they now call Wistaria Hall.

They had met as teachers in 1967 and thought it would be fun to refurbish a home in the Craftsman style. Here was the house. They started refurbishing in August of 1987.

They stripped the wainscotting, the floors (there was maple flooring so thin that they had to refloor in American oak). They replaced all tile with a reproduction that matches the home, replastered much of the home and found beautiful fir under all those layers of age and varnish.

"We used 25 gallons of Formby's stripper to do the wood in three rooms," Rosenkranz noted.

"We hired a lot of friends and started two fires, using stripper and rags. One time while we were cleaning the old light plates, they arced and it took our five fire extinguishers to get that fire under control, but we just kept on going," Powell said.

"As you recall, that was the year of the earthquake and we had to redo the fireplace which is made of field stone. It developed several cracks and fissures during the quake. We also had to hire a structural engineer who did at least $300 worth of work in the foundation. Let's face it. The entire remodel has cost us at least $200,000," Rosenkranz said. That includes landscaping, new walkways, new trees, grass, flowers, fencing, pergola and an upgrade of all electrical and plumbing in the house.

Surprisingly, many of the antiques both women had, were used in the home and, although it looks eclectic, the woman laugh, it works very well.

The furnace was dated 1896 and the first time they had a heating bill of $400 a month, they decided they would either freeze or use heaters around the home. Finally, however, they installed central air upstairs and heat downstairs.

The staircase, rebuilt by the late Bob Douglas, has been named for him, the women say.

They compare the home to education — "you bring out the loveliness already there, polish it up, use patience and give it confidence and there you are . . ."

Shirley, formerly California Teacher of the Year, is an English teacher at Temple City and has published five books using stories written with selected honors students.

Fran is working on her doctorate at USC and should be finished with her dissertation by Christmas. She is an administrator in the Pasadena Unified School District working with gifted and talented students.

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Weather

	Fahrenheit High	Low	Precip	Celsius High	Low
	By John R. Lonborg				
May 27	70	54	0.01"	21	12
May 28	66	54	1.74"	19	12
May 29	63	51	0.00"	17	11
May 30	69	54	0.00"	21	12
May 31	70	50	0.00"	21	10
June 1	75	55	0.00"	24	13
June 2	91	61	0.00"	33	16

Ozone

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Rainfall
By Loren Metzger

Past week:
5/27/90 - 6/2/90 **1.75"**

Season total:
7/1/89 - 6/2/90 **15.18"**

Last year:
7/1/88 - 6/2/89 **15.92"**

Film shot here set for Sunday show

"Appearances," the Disney movie that was shot at Sanwa Bank, Sierra Madre, last month, will be shown Sunday, June 17 on NBC (Channel 4) from 7 to 9 p.m.

Jim Harmon, Sierra Madre film coordinator with his mother, Ruth, said that a Sunny Delight commercial was shot Monday at 99 W. Mira Monte and on Wednesday there was a Starburst Candy commercial shot at 145 S. Lima in Sierra Madre.

Campaign now on to replace PA system for Search and Rescue

When Bill McKernan heard at the Mt. Wilson Trail Race last week that the public address system owned by the Search and Rescue Team had been stolen, he presented a crisp $100 bill to The News office and said, "Let's start a campaign to see that they get a new one."

The News contacted Miner Harkness, the so-called "father of the Search and Rescue Team" since he has been with the team for 35 years, almost as long as it has been in existence. The team was started in 1951.

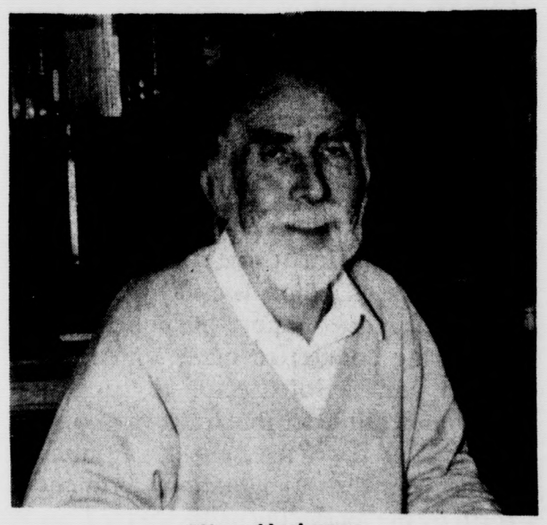
Of course, he thought it was a grand idea. He and Arnold Gaffrey, who works at Miner Harkness Insurance and has been on the team since 1973, guess that the system was about 10 years old and could be replaced with all the speakers and amplifiers for roughly $1500.

So that's the amount that is needed, started with McKernan's $100 bill.

An account is open at Sanwa Bank and money can also be brought to Harkness Insurance at 51 N. Baldwin and the Sierra Madre News office at 9 Kersting Court.

The system is used by the team for lectures, demonstrations, at base camp operations and at the Mt. Wilson Trail Race every year.

It was also used by the city during the Christmas activities in Kersting Court this past year.



Miner Harkness

Harkness told The News that the new system will be stored at the Search and Rescue room at city hall where it will be locked up.

As everyone in the foothill communities know, the Sierra Madre Search and Rescue Team has a reputation that is unequalled, not only state-wide but also nationally.

Eagle Scout to complete badge at Hastings Nursery

Tom McCarthy, son of Jerri and Tom McCarthy of Sierra Madre, is earning his Eagle Scout badge by planning and building a new play structure for the toddler yard at Hastings Ranch Nursery School. Construction is underway and the project should be completed by early summer.

Tom, 14, who is going into 10th grade at Don Bosco Tech, has been active in Troop 110, St. Rita's, for three years. He is majoring in electronics at the private high school and hopes to go into aeronatics in the future.

Tom asks that anyone who would like to contribute monetarily toward his Eagle Scout project can contact Judy Gregg, director; Hastings Ranch Nursery School, 3740 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., Pasadena 91107. The phone number is 351-9171.

"We would all be most grateful for any help you can give us," Tom says.

Here is a chance for all of us to assist an Eagle Scout realize a dream and earn his badge at the same time.



Tom McCarthy



FORMER SIERRA MADRE MERCHANTS RECEIVE AWARD — Irshad and Linda Haque, of Bantam Associates in Pasadena, formerly of Sierra Madre, are recipients of the coveted Small Business of the Year award at the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce annual Installation Ball last week. Shown giving them the award is Ann Hight, former president of the chamber. More photos on page 7.

Thanks, politicians

It's always a pleasure to watch governments work. Particularly local governments that care about their local merchants.

How refreshing it was to hear the City Council ask Main Street and the Chamber of Commerce (soon to be unified) to make a determination on whether or not "the pots" should continue down the middle of Sierra Madre Blvd. Should the concept continue — the concept of discouraging U-turns and speed down the street?

At Tuesday morning's joint meeting, Main Street and Chamber of Commerce decided to present their recommendation at the hearing scheduled for the City Council meeting on June 26. They have asked that reflectors be placed on the pots and they will recommend that the trial period be extended 90 days while consideration is being considered for other streetscape for Sierra Madre Blvd.

How much the Chamber of Commerce and Main Street also appreciated being asked how the two bodies feel about whether the future downtown should be held for totally retail business, reserving service-oriented businesses for second stories or side streets.

Again, in action Tuesday morning, the two bodies support the concept of a steering committee made up of the public and private sector to provide communication so that priorities considered by the CRA, city and public implement those suggestions brought forth by the marketing niche study. They support a business recruiting task force to be implemented immediately.

The two bodies also extend a special invitation to the city for the second annual on-site visit of the associate director of Main Street for Wednesday, June 13. There will be an oral report before the City Council in the council chambers that evening at 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited.

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Under the Pepper Tree

by Jan Reed

● We wish to extend our condolences to Martha Van De Verg and her family on the death of Bud after his several months of illness.

● We don't have to be ashamed of Helen Walker when she goes out of town. In fact, on the streets of Nashville, she's sure to be wearing her best pink bathrobe and slippers.

While she, her sister and brother-in-law were on a recent tour of the South, they were notified that there was a fire in their hotel and that they were to proceed instantly down the staircase to the street.

Obediently, they did just that and found themselves out on the streets of Nashville, Tenn., purses in hand, freshly brushed teeth. In fact, her brother-in-law still had the remains of shaving cream on his face since he had been interrupted from his early-morning task of shaving, Helen says.

Luckily, there was a short in the fire alarm, so there actually was no fire.

However, Helen says, "I was a credit to Sierra Madre on the streets of Nashville," and THEN she explains what she meant by that remark.

They got home safely and the trip was fun, she says it's great to be home to Sierra Madre.

● Phyllis Chapman put a note on my desk concerning the memorial service for Jack Butler last Saturday and the wonderful music she heard while at the service.

"Several hymns were sung. Sitting in our row (with Olive Buchan) was Celeste McCreary, and Sam and Catherine Kirk, all three with wonderful voices. What a joy to sing with this kind of backing."

There's music for the ears.

● Verne Knowlin of Sierra Madre has decided he will never travel on street named Walnut since bad things happen to him when he does.

Recently, on his way home from the Pasadena Library, he was accosted by a man, wielding a pistol, who took his last $20 bill but not before he roughed up our Sierra Madrean a bit. Verne has a mangled hand in a cast and sling as the result of the foray.

Two other times he has either been broadsided in his car or run into by another auto — and always on a street named Walnut. And not in the same town, either.

From now on, we warned him, he should stick to streets named Oak or Maple . . . whatever sounds like wood. But never Walnut.

● While looking through our utility records for a lost bill, Tommy Ann Miller came across two famous names: Czerney and Debussey. Famous musicians. Not the same ones we know of but certainly famous-sounding.

● We had a call from Los Angeles Fire Capt. Art Contessotto who told us a frightening tale about two pitbulls that were loose on the streets of Altadena and how two females, one a child and one an adult, came close to losing their lives.

Had it not been for Gerald Mann and Wilfredo Noe, both motorists who saw the dogs attacking the 7-year-old child and her grandmother, heaven only knows what would have happened.

The dogs let go after being kicked enough, and as a representative of the sheriff's department arrived, one of the dogs took after him. The animal control people located the owner who took the dogs in tow.

Another frightening tale, no pun intended.

● Someone walked in the other day and started peering at all the stuff on the shelves outside my office.

"What is all this?" the person asked.

"It's the Sierra Madre News Museum," we answered. I'm peering at it now and can't believe all the "stuff" crammed there. There are signs that say, "God, I love this business" and "The best man for the job is a woman." Both of them were given to me, honest. I didn't buy them.

There is an old early-day hand press that still works and another reproduction of a press, a photo of a Sheltie whose name you've heard many times in this column, a mouse (because the paper was lovingly called "The Squeak" years ago), a newspaper boy doll with a cart full of tiny reproductions of The News. Nearby is the child's dog.

There is a basket and a beautiful doll, Sarah Madre, constructed by Shirley McGillicuddy years ago. There are shells, plants, awards, a huge reproduction of the Birdseye View of Sierra Madre, a photo of the firefighters in the Dec. 6 fire, a photo of The News office many years ago, and . . . and . . . even the American flag. That's enough for this week . . .

Police Blotter

Sierra Madre Police Chief reports 101 service calls during the past week with the following among them:

— May 28: No major crimes committed.

— May 29: The school in the 100 block of N. Baldwin was burglarized and $6000 worth of gift certificates were stolen. Unlawful entry was through an open door.

There was a traffic collision injury when a vehicle failed to yield when entering the roadway and collided with an auto in the 600 block of W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Sports equipment was stolen from a garage in the 200 block of Santa Anita. Loss was $625.

— May 30: No maior crimes were committed.

— May 31: Failure to yield to cross traffic was the cause of a non-injury collision at Baldwin and Grandview.

There was a burglary during the day at a construction site in the 700 block of Skyland where $300 worth of power tools were taken. Unlawful entry was through an unlocked front door.

— June 1: A hub cap worth $30 was taken from a vehicle in the 100 block of E. Highland.

Sierra Madre Fire Dept.

During the period from Monday, Mar. 28, through Sunday, June 3, the Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Department responded to 23 alarms as detailed: rescue calls, 16; fire calls, 5; service calls, 2.

Monday, May 28:

6:34 a.m. — Service Call, 400 blk., Ramona Ave., water leak.

8:09 a.m. — Fire Call, 100 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., flooded condition.

2:08 p.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., Oakcrest Dr., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Tuesday, May 29:

12:38 p.m. — Medical Aid, 500 blk., W. Grandview Ave., patient left in own care.

6:24 p.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., one patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital, the other patient left in own care.

6:24 p.m. — Fire Call, 600 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., medical assist.

Wednesday, May 30:

2:14 a.m. — Medical Aid, 200 blk., W. Grandview Ave., patient left in own care.

9:31 a.m. — Medical Aid, 200 blk., N. Michillinda Ave., patient transported to St. Luke Hospital.

10:08 a.m. — Fire Call, 200 blk., Windwood Ln., false alarm.

11:21 a.m. — Medical Aid, Chantry Flats Ranger Station, patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Thursday, May 31:

6:40 p.m. — Medical Aid, 100 blk., N. Baldwin Ave., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

7:04 p.m. — Medical Aid, 400 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient left in own care.

Friday, June 1:

4:06 a.m. — Medical Aid, 200 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

9:16 a.m. — Fire Call, 100 blk., San Gabriel Ct., dryer fire.

11:56 p.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Saturday, June 2:

11:27 a.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., Manzanita Ave., patient transported to St. Luke Hospital.

1:34 p.m. — Service Call, 200 blk., W. Montecito Ave., gasoline leak.

3:22 p.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., Ramona Ave., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

10:39 p.m. — Medical Aid, 100 blk., W. Grandview Ave., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Sunday, June 3:

1:52 a.m. — Fire Call, 200 blk., N. Mtn. Trail, false alarm.

2:06 a.m. — Medical Aid, 100 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

10:45 a.m. — Medical Aid, 600 blk., E. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient left in own care.

6:15 p.m. — Medical Aid, 300 blk., W. Sierra Madre Blvd., patient transported to Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Building Permits, May 14 through June 1
Coordinated by Betty Garvin

24380	390 Mariposa	Tear off roof only.
24381	243 E. Montecito	Retaining wall behind main house in rear yard.
24384	737 Skyland	Window change in living room, kitchen; dark resurface, retile kitchen and bathrooms.
24388	390 Mariposa	Permit for roof covering.
24390	581 Sierra Meadow	Arches over gates. Total of four.
24394	38 W. Sierra	Twenty-four plus apartment units (existing) and 13 plus retail/office spaces existing.
24395	361 E. Sierra	Concrete Garden Wall.
24397	460 Gatewood Ln.	Kitchen remodel. Penalty for no permit.
24404	69 W. Carter	Kitchen remodel. Relocate window.
24406	66 E. Laurel A, B	Retaining wall, fence.
24410	471 W. Montecito	Gate across driveway.
24411	177 E. Laurel	Add bedroom, remodel to provide bathroom.
24415	383 Sycamore Pl.	Remove existing roofing from rear flat. Install four-ply, flush walls on adjoining slope.
24416	201 Manzanita	Metal tile roof.
24417	148 W. Bonita	Pool, spa and fence.
24422	310 Old Ranch Rd.	Reroof.
24423	38 W. Montecito	Wood fence.

Notes From the Attic

By Gertrude Gerke

Conversation between N.C. Hawks and N.C. Carter
By Harry Burke

"I'm going to buy that eleven hundred acres up yonder and build a town," N.C. Carter said to N.C. Hawks one day back in 1878. They were standing down in San Gabriel Valely. "Up there along the mountain trail," continued Carter. "Yes, sir, that's the garden spot of this here country."

N.C. Hawks, an uncle of Jim N. Hawks of Sierra Madre, had come down from San Francisco. His business was selling type, and Carter, who lived in San Gabriel, was one of his customers.

"Well," said Hawks, "that spot certainly looks as if it might develop into the grandstand for this here valley."

"That's just my idea," said Carter. "Up there you can have everything."

Out and About

By Dick Rogers

I never realized how many people in Sierra Madre played golf. I also never realized how many people in Sierra Madre think golf is a silly game. It is not a silly game. It is a study in perseverance, control, discipline and form. It is also diabolical, perverse, frustrating and vain.

Vain, you say. Vain, I shout! There is more play-acting, posing and posturing in golf than on the stage. When golfers get on the tee (honey, that's where you hit the ball) and take their first shot, you don't have to look for where the ball goes . . . look at the golfer. If he strikes this magnificent pose . . . right toe pointed down, his body turned facing front and the club arched in geometric precision over his head, you know he drilled one. You almost have to get a stage hook to get him off the tee.

Putt-ing (that's the place where they shaved the grass) is a different story. Only brain surgery can claim a more restrained setting. Buttlerflies have been mashed for making too much noise banging their wings . . . men have blown themselves up stifling a sneeze. When someone is putt-ing, you can't move, talk or clear your throat; in fact, you better have some good control on your breathing.

When you get right down to it, the game is quite demanding. Think about it. You must grip the club in a specific way, line your feet and body up with the ball, bend your knees slightly, line the club up somewhat off your left arm, tilt your head a tad to the right, drop the right shoulder down an inch or two, keep your left arm straight, move your body weight onto your right foot on the backswing, keeping your right arm close to your side, move your body weight onto your left foot as the club face makes contact with the ball, keep your head down until contact and follow through with the club. I've left a few things out for brevity. A silly game? A SILLY game you say?

Wrong. It is an illness for which there is no cure. Thousands of Don Quixotes jousting with windmills. It is not Nirvana, but a place of unrest. See you out there on Monday, John. A place for clout when we're out and about.

Low-cost rabies shots June 13, Sierra Madre

Sierra Madre dog-owners have a chance for a low-cost anti-rabies vaccination on Wednesday, June 13 at Sierra Madre Elementary School, 141 W. Highland, Sierra Madre.

Hours for the shots are from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

All dogs 4 months of age and older are required to be vaccinated against rabies by state, county and city ordinances.

Rabies vaccinations provide protection for one year for dogs and from 4 months to 1 year old, and for three years for dogs 1 year old and older.

Cost of the vaccination is $3 per dog. Veterinarians of the Southern California Veterinary Medical Association voluntarily staff the clinics as a public health service.

Irish Fair this weekend

The 16th annual Grand National Irish Fair and Music Festival is scheduled for this Saturday and Sunday, June 9 and 10 at the Los Angeles Equestrian Center.

Hours are from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. both days. There is also handicap and valet parking available on site plus additional off site parking with bus service.

Ticket prices include all concerts and music performances and they include the following: general adult, $14; youth (age 13 - 18); senior discount (age 62 and over), $7; and student discount (ages 18 - 24 with ID), $7.

For information about tickets, call (213) 395-8322.

Friends sponsor sale Saturday

By Sally Dewey

Twenty cents used to be enough to get you into a movie. Or buy a double scoop of ice cream cone. And, a dollar . . .

Today, even a dollar doesn't buy much, unless, of course, you're planning to attend the Friends of the Sierra Madre Library Used Book Sale on Saturday, June 9 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Here, you'll find a dollar can buy hours and hours of enjoyment, knowledge and creative experiences that can only be found in books.

The Friends Used Book Sale will feature hundreds upon hundreds of books carrying almost every imaginable interest. If you're looking for books about travel to distant and exotic places, there's a for you. If you want to help your children or grandchildren expand their world through the creative magic found only in books, there's a vast number from which to choose.

If your hobby is cooking, or if you're just learning about the culinary arts, there's a lot here just for you. If you're interested in art, or in crafts and hobbies, you won't want to miss the outstanding selection offered for your perusal. And, of course, there are virtually hundreds of soft and hardcover books of fiction to suit every taste.

The Friends are also offering an excellent selection of collectible books and first editions if you would like to expand your personal library collection.

If you are looking for magazines covering a multitude of interests, you'll find them priced from 10 to 25 cents.

So, you see, a dollar really can go a long way today — if you're planning to attend the Friends Used Book Sale at the Sierra Madre Library basement this Saturday, June 9. The library is located at 440 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.



Vaughn Hilburn

Hilburn joins Best Buy Drugs

You'll see a lot of Vaughn Hilburn in this week's issue of the Sierra Madre News. You will see his photo with this article and you'll also see his face on the flyer that is inserted in this week's issue of The News.

He's an important person. He is the new pharmacist at Best Buy Drugs, located on N. Baldwin, Sierra Madre.

Hilburn has been in Sierra Madre for a month and said of the village, "I knew of Sierra Madre because I've been in the area for six to seven years and I'm very happy to be here. I'm also anxious to serve the residents of this foothill area. I hope to answer all of their questions."

Hilburn calls himself a "Navy brat" since his father was in the Navy during the pharmacist's "growing up" years. His father now lives in Jacksonville, Fla.

Hilburn originally came to California when he was in the Navy for four years, located in San Diego. "I just stayed on," he remarked.

He was majoring in chemical engineering and a friend with whom he had served in Vietnam had decided to major in pharmacy. "He talked me into it," Hilburn said, so the local man changed majors and ultimately graduated from USC Pharmacy School in 1983.

Hilburn worked for several independents and for Savon Drugs.

"I came here because of the small town atmosphere. I can interface with customers, talk with people, answer questions. It's much more enjoyable than working for a chain store."

He and his wife, Trish, have four children and they live in Temple City.

Next time you're in at Best Buy Drugs, say "hello" to Vaughn.

Fourth of July T-shirts on sale

Fourth of July T-shirts are now available at Paper Palace, Happy's Liquor Store, Petite Beauty Salon, KC's Closet and Abacus, according to Doug Hayes, chairman of the committee.

This year's T-shirt, designed by Michael Hatcher, costs $12.

The parade will be held Wednesday, July 4.

Concert in park Sunday, June 10

The L.A.C.C. Youth Orchestra, under the direction of Joan McSeveney, will be giving their final concert of the season at Sierra Madre Memorial Park, in their series of "Music in the Park." The date is Sunday, June 10, from 5 to 6 in the lawn and Band Shell area.

This group is composed of Christian musicians from many junior and senior high schools in this community: San Marino, Muir, Washington, Longdon, Elliott, Hugo Reid, Dana, Marshall, Foothill, San Gabriel Christian, Pasadena Christian, Oak Avenue, Temple City, First Avenue, Sequoia and South Pasadena Middle School.

The concert will begin promptly at 5 so bring a blanket or lawn chair to sit on in the Band Shell area of the park.

Association urges 'Clear Air'

The American Lung Association invites you to join us for the Let's Clear the Air conference as we explore the latest legislative, legal and health developments in establishing no-smoking policies in today's workplace.

The conference will take place on Thursday, June 14, from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Sheraton Universal Hotel in Universal City.

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MAIN STREET
By Ron Hutson

Main Street's Promotion Council has moved its meeting location downtown in hopes of attracting new committee members. The council now meets on Thursday morning, 8 a.m. at The Sandwich Stop, 31 N. Baldwin Ave. Owner Jun Yim and manager Robin Houde invite you to drop by, share a cup of coffee and become involved in downtown promotion planning. Tracy Miller (Happy's Wines and Spirits) and Jan Reed (Sierra Madre News) co-chair this important Main Street program.

The join Main Street/chamber finance task force continues work to create an equitable funding formula to support downtown revitalization. Our task force is chaired by Doug Delahooke (Delahooke & Associates). Task force members include Kathy Marriott (Bank of America), David May (David A. May & Associates), David M. Ramsay (Personal Financial Planner), and Helen Elliott (The Spinning Wheel). Commercial property and business owners are encouraged to contact task force members with their views about financing.

Contact Main Street c/o Ron Hutson, Project Manager, 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, CA 91024. See you on Main Street.

So far so good. Warm weather, sunny skies and concrete delivered on time is keeping the Mariposa parking lot on schedule. Pouring curbs, building a retainer wall for the ramp from The Only Place in Town's parking lot into the Mariposa lot, and laying asphalt in the Phase I area will keep the contractor busy this week. Keep your fingers crossed for continued good weather.

Associate State Coordinator, Keith Kjelstrom, will visit Sierra Madre next Wednesday (June 13) to conduct the annual On-Site Evaluation. Keith will meet with Main Street committees, the combined Main Street/Chamber board, city administrator, and City Council. At 7 p.m., Keith will discuss his visit at a public meeting in the Council Chambers. Officers and members of clubs and organizations are invited to attend as is the general public.

Involvement opportunity. Fourth of July Beer Garden Committee Chairs Tess and Karen Corazzelli (KC's Closet) are looking for 10 or 12 people to work two-hour shifts on the evening of July 3 and after the parade on the 4th. Volunteers must be at least 21 years of age. Call Tess or Karen for more details at 355-5605. Or, call Ruth Alexander at the chamber office, 355-5111.

For Book Lovers

Loretta Wyrwall

Once upon a time, children were thought of as mini-adults. With the current diet and anti-cholesterol craze, we might have labeled them "Adult Lites." Nevertheless, in due time, onto the scene campe philosophers and other romantics who put forth the idea that children are not miniature but in their own unique, magical time of life and need to be allowed the time nature gives them to grow.

The way children perceive the world is not the same as adults. I learned in teachers' training that a child's system of logic is as air-tight to them as ours is to us, and though they may arrive at a wrong answer from time to time, still the way they come to that answer was perfectly rational; amusing and fantastic perhaps, but logical.

The Weekly Reader Children's Book Club edition of "My Teacher Sleeps in School" is a wonderful example of children's imaginative problem solving. It is written by Leatie Weiss, a teacher writing from experience, no doubt, and illustrated by her daughter, Ellen Weiss.

The plot goes something like this: one day after school, Mollie suggests to another classmate that their teacher, Mrs. Marsh, has no other home but the classroom. After all, Mollie reasons, "she's always there when we come and she's always there when we leave." Then Mollie rallies some classmates and they begin to search the classroom to prove this theory.

Lo and behold, they discover a towel, soap and a mirror in the closet. Paper plates, napkins, cake mix, etc. are found in the play kitchen. And the most convincing clue of all, a pillow and slippers are behind the teacher's desk. Certainly this is enough proof for any system of logic. The children add up the facts and Mollie writes Mrs. Marsh a note to say, "Surprise. We know you sleep here. Good night, sleep tight."

And the burden of disputing such evidence rests upon the teacher, who proceeds to take them on a memorable field trip to her very own house, thus displacing a child's logic with adult facts of life.

So, that's the story, but the charm and humor lie in its telling. The delightful imaginings of Mrs. Marsh's students as they picture her sleeping on the piano, or (giggle giggle) dressing in the closet.

My only complaint would be that the illustrations, wonderful as they are, would not be drawn as elephants. I would have preferred the faces and bodies of human children, but as I read the story to a class of second graders, they understood perfectly.

"It's a Babar the Elephant book, isn't it!" See, what is difficult for my adult mind made perfect sense to them.

MOVIE REVIEW



ASHLEIGH KATZ

To See, Or Not To See

Total Recall — Arnold Schwarzenegger

See. This film is the sum total of two things — total recoil (violence) and total reward (imagination). If you can bear the cartoonishly excessive body count and gore, you'll be treated to a mind-blowing story and out-of-this world special effects — Wow! Don't ask about the acting, it's incidental.

Pasadena Pacific Hastings, Pasadena Marketplace, Temple City Edwards.

Strapless — Blair Brown, Bridget Fonda

See. Frankly, this film is desgined for a film buff or a psychology major. There's plenty of symbolism, "inner" dialogue and thoughtfully lingering close-ups, all fringed with beautiful English scenarios. Although the plot is rather flimsy, it's supported by the excellent acting.

Pasadena Esquire

Ashley Benner sells 6120 cookies

Ashley Benner, 10 years old, sold about 6120 Girl Scout cookies or $637.50 worth for her troop recently. Ashley is the daughter of Karen and Art Dellerson, and sold 255 boxes in the spring cookie drive.

Actually, Ashley was second place winner in her troop, No. 700, but she was the only Sierra Madrean to receive the honor. First place went to Sara Hall of Pasadena who sold 272 boxes.

"I worked very hard and so did Mom. I feel very proud of myself," the poised child told The News. She attends High Point Academy and is part of the Sierra Madres Council. The 16 girls in her troop are from Sierra Madre, Altadena and Pasadena.

What did she get for all her labors? A $25 gift certificate from Hinshaw's, a button that says "I love Girl Scout Cookies," a "fanny pack" to wear around her waist while biking or walking that reads "The Secret of My Success." She also received a stuffed animal, two patches and a discount card for Sea World.

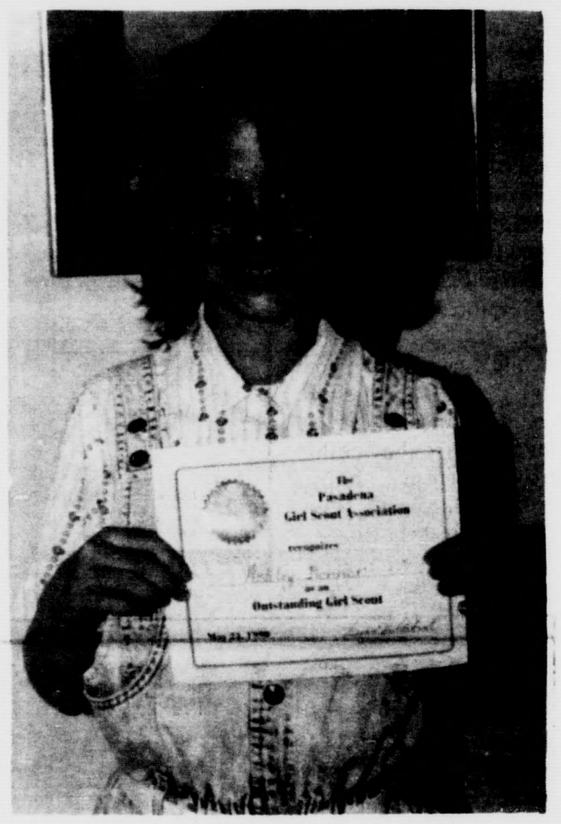
What did she do with all that money? She went to Disneyland during spring vacation.

And what does this super salesperson plan to be when she grows up? She wants to be a doctor like her dad "to help people."

Ashley has a half sister, Alexandra, 4 years; and a step-sister, Melinda, 23, who lives in Chicago.

Ashley's Girl Scout leaders are Lynn Holl and Pam Pinkerton.

The awards dinner was held May 23.



Ashley Benner

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THURSDAY — Cook's special menu.

FRIDAY — Nachos, refried beans, green salad, pears, milk.

The Bulletin Board

Free blood pressure clinic at St. Rita's O'Malley Hall, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., primarily, but not exclusively, for senior citizens. Clinic held last Monday of every month.

The Senior Citizens Club meets every Saturday at 11:30 a.m. throughout the year at the Senior Citizens Center, Memorial Park.

Oct. 15
Sierra Madre Parks and Recreation Commission meets at 7 p.m. in the council chambers, city hall.

Kiwanis Club of Sierra Madre

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Thurs., June 7
Sierra Madre Commission on Aging meets at 3 p.m. in the council chambers of city hall.

Sat., June 9
Friends of the Library sponsor the Used Book Sale in the basement of the Sierra Madre Public Library from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Mon., June 11
Preschool Story Hour from 10 - 11 a.m. at the Sierra Madre Public Library, 440 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Tues., June 12
City Council study session with representatives of Main Street/Chamber of Commerce steering committee concerning economic restructuring, 5 p.m., chambers.

Sierra Madre City Council meets at 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers, city hall.

Wed., June 13
Family Night at S.M. Library, 7-8 p.m. Fun with food books is topic.

State Main Street on-site evaluation. The Main Street coordinator will be in Sierra Madre.

Wed., Thurs., June 13-14
Low cost, anti-rabies vaccination clinic for dogs sponsored by Southern California Veterinary Medical Association. On Wednesday from 7 - 8:30 p.m. at Sierra Madre Elementary School and on Thursday, 7 - 8:30 p.m. at the Community Center, 1530 W. Central in South El Monte.

Sat., June 16
Pasadena Community Orchestra presents sixth annual Concert in the Park in Memorial Park at 6:30 p.m. Bring picnics, blankets and lawn chairs.

Mon., June 26
Sierra Madre City Council meets at 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers of city hall.

Thurs., July 5
Sierra Madre Commission on Aging meets at 3 p.m. in the council chambers of city hall.

Mon., July 16
Parks and Recreation Commission meets at 7 p.m. in the council chambers, city hall.

Mon., Aug. 20
Sierra Madre Parks and Recreation Commission meets at 7 p.m. in the council chambers, city hall.

Garden Club meets every second Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple in Sierra Madre for a dinner meeting followed by a program which is open to the public. Dinner is by reservation only by calling 355-3213.

The Sierra Madre Recycling Center, located at the rear of 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., will be operated by and benefiting the Skilled Nursing Facility for the next three weeks.

The Sierra Madre Homeowners/Residents Association meets the fourth Thursday of every month at the Senior Citizens Center, Memorial Park.

Fourth of July Committee meets at the Park House, Memorial Park, 7:30 p.m. All volunteers welcome.

The Sierra Madre City Council meets the second and fourth Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers of the city hall. These meetings are open to the public and a community communications period is held at approximately 7:30 p.m.



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Garden Club to donate to Pennies for Pines for late Bill Kramer

By Phyllis Chapman

At the monthly meeting of the Sierra Madre Garden Club it was voted to make a donation to Pennies For Pines in memory of Fire Marshal Bill Kramer who died suddenly on Apr. 29.

Pennies For Pines is a program by the U.S. Forest Service to use these funds to plant trees in our mountains. This is a special Garden Club funds that is added to during the year.

Ann Tyler, retiring president of the group, was presented a gift at the meeting by board member Barbara Watson to thank Tyler on behalf of the membership for the two years she has served in this office. The gift was a set of coasters in a teak holder and a large matching plate with a design of the wistaria flower created by Sierra Madre artist Annemarie Davidson, well-known for her handcrafted enamel work.

The Garden Club will not be meeting again until October, except for a summer picnic party to be held around the pool at Marjorie Peterson's home on Monday, Aug. 13. The club meets monthly during the year on the second Monday night of the month at the Masonic Temple. Dinner is enjoyed at floral decorated tables and a program following. The group welcomes new members. For further information call Tyler at 355-0167 or Arlie Hahn, 355-3050.

Recently several members of the club were given a tour of the gardens at the City of Hope in Duarte. In addition to its fame as medical facility, the hospital has almost 100 acres of beautiful gardens and landscaped grounds for the enjoyment of patients and the public.

There is also a large greenhouse where plants are sold with this money going to help with the cost of taking care of the grounds. At this time of the year their profusion of roses are breathtakingly beautiful. However, during winter when the rose bushes are trimmed back the gardeners plant a large number of other flowering plants so that the bare bushes are not noticeable.

STEP program Tuesdays, Methodist

Attention parents of babies,. toddlers, and preschoolers: Methodist Hospital is offering an Early Childhood STEP program from 6:30 to 8 p.m., seven consecutive Tuesdays, beginning June 12. Jan Haley, RN, BSN, pediatric nurse practitioner, is instructor for the course that helps parents foster confidence and cooperation in children, from the start.

Among the topics to be explored during the seven sessions are: how a child's personality, social skills, belief system, and lifestyle develop as the child grows from baby to toddler to preschooler, misbehavior — what is it and what it is not, how to recognize the purpose of a child's misbehavior and deal with it, why rewards and punishments don't work and what does, how to encourage cooperation, communciation, social, skills, self-esteem, and ways to handle crying, temper tantrums, toilet training, lying, jealousy, and public misbehavior.

For information or registration, which is required, please call the hospital's Education Department at (818) 574-3475. A $15 fee includes material for the entire series.



Dee Helwig

Cloves used to sweeten breath

In the 3rd century B.C., the courtiers of the royal court in China were required to carry cloves in their mouths in order to sweeten their breath when addressing the emperor.

Dee Helwig nominated Miss Teenager

Dawnee Marshea Primous (Dee) Helwig, daughter of Robert and Martine Helwig of Sierra Madre, has been selected as a finalist in the 19th annual Miss California National Teenager Pageant to be held at the Industry Hills and Sheraton Resort this weekend, June 8 - 10.

Dee is sponsored by WordMasters and "a host of friends and family."

She is a member of the Pasadena High School Chamber Singers Choir and performs with the Baha'i Youth Workshop, a drama and dance performing arts group.

This Miss California National Teenager Pageant is the official state finals to the Miss National Teenager Pageant to be held in Orlando, Fla., Aug. 17.

At the state level, awards given will include a $1000 U.S. Savings Bond, a two-year tuition scholarship to Oklahoma City University, a one-year full tuition scholarship to The Art Institute, and a paid trip to compete in the Miss National Teenager Pageant where she will be competing for $25,000 in cash scholarships.

Winners at the Citizenship Award (one senior and two underclasspersons) on both regional and state levels will each receive a $10,000 tuition scholarship to Eckerd College in St. Petersburg, Fla. Scholarships will also be awarded by Millikin University, Decatur, Ill., and Johnson and Wales University, Providence, R.I.

Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement-leadership; poise-personality and appearance.

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Brechwald to be installed Civic Club head tonight

By Phyllis Chapman

With the theme of "Having Fun Helping Others" Daryls Brechwald will head the Sierra Madre Civic Club as president for 1990-91. She and her board will be installed at the club's Annual Installation Dinner meeting, Thursday, June 7, in the banquet room of Woody and Eddy's Restaurant.

Brechwald has served on the board as secretary and this past year, ways and means co-vice president with Kathleen Coyne. Margaret Switzer is the retiring president. During 1989-90 the club raised and gave away to a long list of philanthropies in Sierra Madre and San Gabriel Valley in the amount of $8200.

Other board members to be installed are: first vice president, Georgette Dunlay; second vice presidents, Paige Terry and Teresa Habern; third vice president, Joan Crow and Judy Cimino; fourth vice president, Margaret Switzer; recording secretary, Medlinda Anderson; corresponding secretary, Fran Syverson; and Sharon Lefler; treasurer, Janet Bryson and parliamentarian Kathleen Coyne. Gail-Ann Skiles will be the installing officer.

Kathy Brundage is in charge of arrangements for the evening. At this dinner members also pay honor to their husbands for help and support with various club projects. Marcia Bent is "Man Watcher" chairman and will make the presentations.

Civic Club continues on a year-round schedule without a summer hiatus. The new ways and means chairmen, Paige Terry and Teresa Habern, will head the 4th of July booth in the park where sun tea, fresh fruits and confetti eggs will be sold. The eggs are very popular with youngsters so during the year members throw cholesterol caution to the wind and become "eggomaniacs" in order to collect enough eggs shells to sell in the booth. The club also conducts the games in the park for children and Ellie Bookamer will run that event.

In September a Membership Tea is planned and Civic Club welcomes new members to help carry out their service and social activities. Anyone interested please call Crow at 355-3621 or Cimino, 355-1595.



CIVIC CLUB PHILANTHROPY WINNERS — Shown are some of the Civic Club recipients of monetary assistance and they include Mark Woodsmall, Sierra Madre Swim Team coach; Ed Tracy, Fire Chief of Sierra Madre Fire Dept.; Denise Lloreda, Sierra Madre Community Pool; Juana Lambert, Project DAY; Shelby Pope, chairperson for Sierra Madre Beautification Committee; Dr. Arthur Vaughn, president, Board of Trustees, Mt. Wilson Institute; Susan Kujawa, director, Mother's Club Community Center; Alyshia Clawson, Los Angeles Student Coalition; Michele Loya, Haven House; Margaret Switzer, president, Sierra Madre Civic Club; Mayor George Maurer; and Shirley McGillicuddy, chairperson, philanthropy committee, Sierra Madre Civic Club.

Sierra Madre City Council Agenda
June 12, 5 p.m. study session, 6:30 p.m. meeting, chambers

Study Session, 5 p.m., Main Street, Chamber of Commerce on economic development and downtown.

Starting at 6:30 p.m. status of Hillside Task Force.

Discussion on water, conservation. New water and sewer rates.

Rate increase, Western Waste, public hearing, June 26.

1990-91 Budget and S. M. Financing Authority.

Capital projects: Review of Mariposa Parking lot and air conditioning for police dept.

Initial engineering report for lighting, landscape and maintenance districts: Santa Anita/Arno; Fane St./Windwood Lane; Central business district, Jameson Court.

Appeal action of Planning Commission.

Consent calendar.

Mary Wammock celebrates 92 years

Mary Wammock and Morgan Calo celebrated their birthdays on May 29. The difference in their celebration is that Mary was 92 and Morgan, 8, so together the two equal 100 years.

Mary Avis Wammock, a well-known Sierra Madrean, has held many posts within the village since she came here in 1922. She lived on Sierra Madre Blvd. when it was called Central Ave. She still lives on Sierra Madre Blvd.

She was born in Charleston, W.V. in 1898.

The Sierra Madrean, an avid doll-collector, joined her husband, Leonard, in Borneo where he worked for Shell Oil Co. from 1929 to 1931. Dorothy (Johansen) was with her parents during those years. After Dorothy's U.S. graduation from high school, she and Mary went back to Borneo until 1939 when Dorothy married an Australian.

Mary Wammock was a psychiatric technician and nursed at Camarillo State Hospital, also nursed war veterans in Van Nuys for many years.

She belonged to Sierra Madre Woman's Club and was an officer with Pearl Virginia Steinberger. She belonged to Garden Club for many years and was president of the Daughters of Union Veterans of Civil War in 1933. She also is a member of the Order of Eastern Star since joining in 1926. She was Worthy Matron in 1936 and Deputy Grand Matron in 1940.

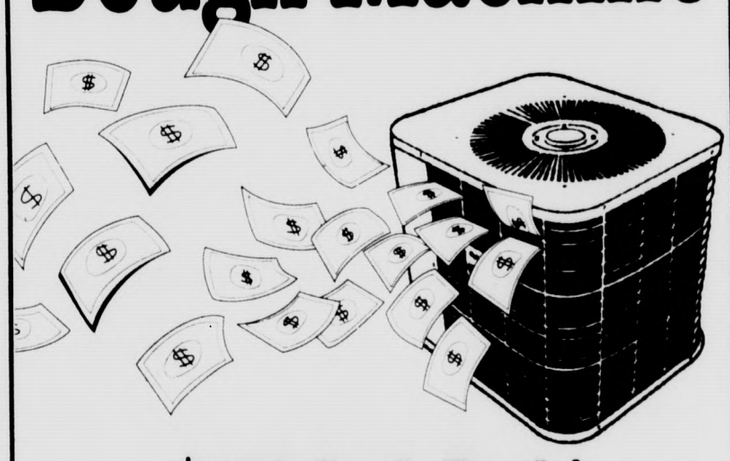


Morgan Calo, 8; Mary Wammock, 92

Environmental help at UCLA, June 23

On Saturday, June 23, UCLA Extension will present "How to Be an Environmentally Aware Consumer: A Guide to Living in the '90s," a new low-fee program focusing on lifestyle changes for shopping to investments that can help restore the world's finely tuned ecological balance. Among the issues to be discussed are how and what to recycle, clean water, food, an environmentally safe home, reducing energy needs, investing for a better world, a how to take action in your community and the world beyond.

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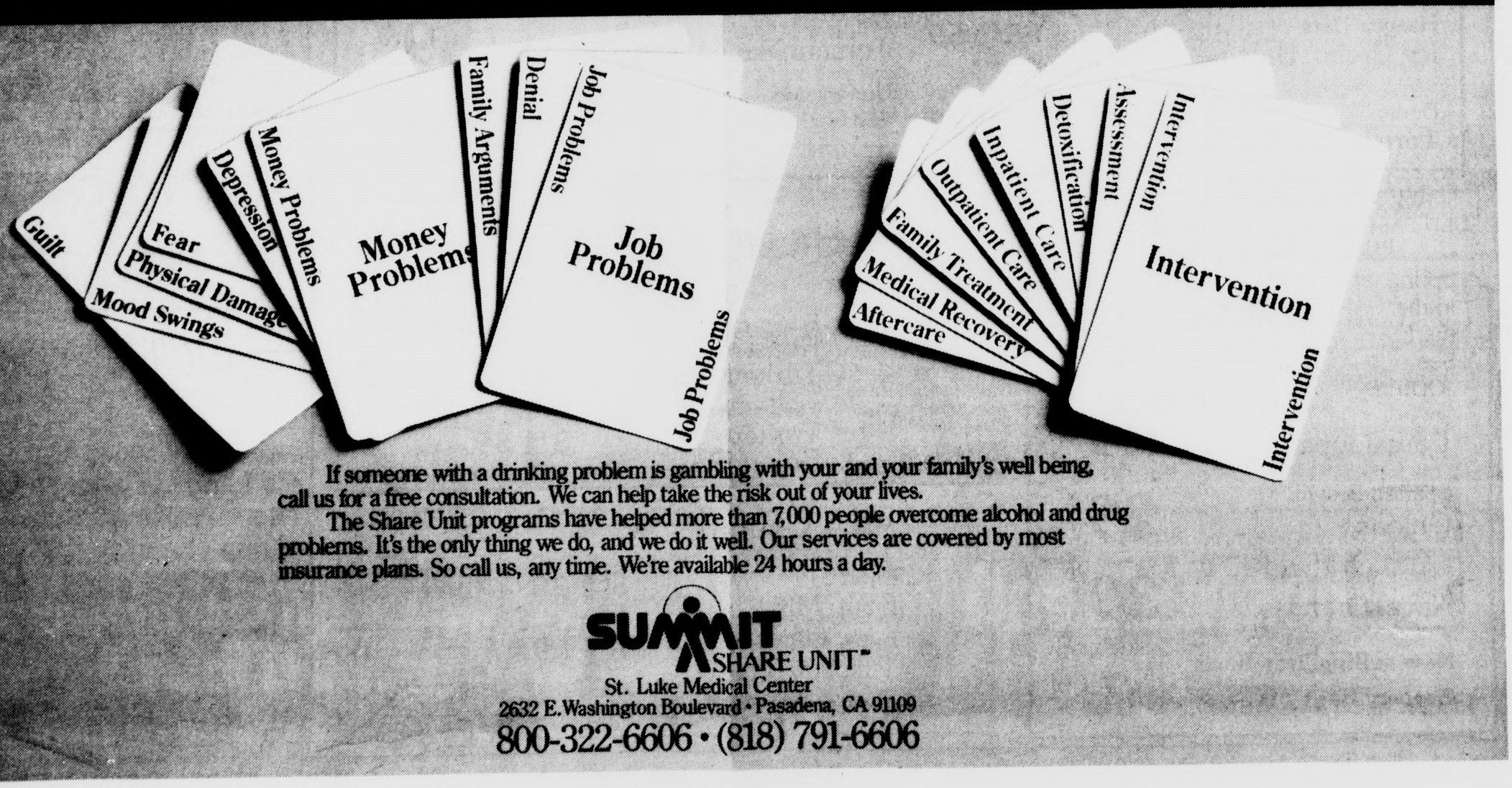
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Pasadena Chamber installation/ball



CHAIRMAN OF FETE WITH DECORATIONS HEAD — Shannon Ferguson, Arcadia, (right) chaired the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce Installation Dinner and Ball held last week at the Hilton Hotel. Shown with her is Fran Zonver, also of Arcadia, who was decorations chairman. The theme was "Phantom of the Opera" and as guests entered the ballroom they saw swirling fog surrounding the Phantom who walked silently from table to table.



HONOREES, REPRESENTATIVE OF SUPERVISOR — Irshad and Linda Haque, winners of the Small Business of the Year award, are shown here with Ollie Blanning, representative from Supervisor Mike Antonovich's office. They noted the swell of organ music playing the "Phantom of the Opera" theme as they walked into the room, clouded with fog and dramatically lighted.



READ AND OFFICERS — Nat Read (fourth from left) was installed Friday as Pasadena Chamber of Commerce president and is shown here with his board, not in order: Dr. Peter Lyman, Bob O'Rourke, Steve Ralph, Marcia Secord, Glen Warriner and Ron Barzen. At the left is outgoing president, Ann Hight.



CHAIRMAN, MASTER OF CEREMONIES — Shannon Ferguson, overall chairman of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce Installation Dinner and Ball, is shown here with Dallas Raines, master of ceremonies. Raines is weatherman on television and did a fine job as master of ceremonies.



AMBASSADOR OF YEAR — Jerry Robins received the Ambassador of the Year award from outgoing Pasadena Chamber of Commerce President Ann Hight at the dinner/ball last week.



RUSSELLS ENJOY DECORATIONS — State Sen. Newton and Diane Russel marveled at the dramatic epergne centerpieces designed by Fran Zonver at the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce installation dinner last week.



NEW PRESIDENT, URBAN LEAGUE HEAD — Nat Read is congratulated by John Mack of the Urtban League of Pasadena on his becoming president of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce at the annual dinner and ball at the Hilton Hotel.

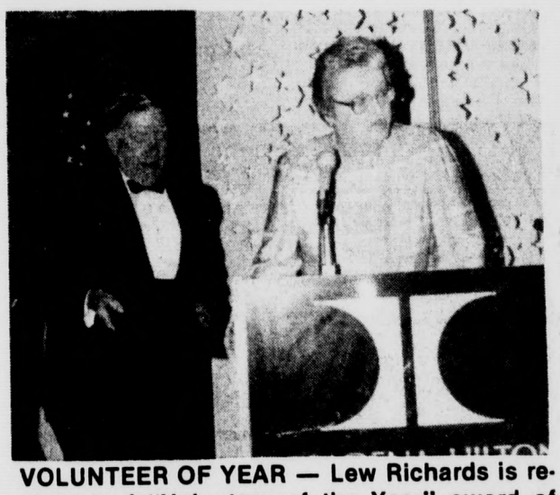


BRUCE ACKERMAN — Bruce Ackerman, executive director and CEO of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce, is shown here, enjoying the festivities at the installation/ball Friday. He congratulated Shannon Ferguson, chairman of the event, for her outstanding achievement of the theme, "Phantom of the Opera."

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MAYOR, OTHER DIGNITARIES AT PASADENA FUNCTION — Pasadena Mayor Jess Hugheston, Kathleen Knack, retiring Chamber President Ann Hight and Dallas Raines, master of ceremonies, noted the beautiful decorations and the dramatic theme of the chamber installation dinner and ball held last Friday at the Pasadena Hilton Hotel. Hotel.



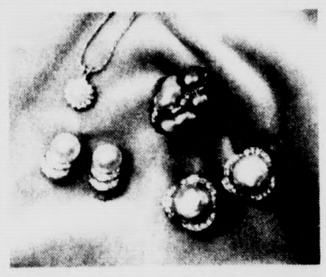
VOLUNTEER OF YEAR — Lew Richards is recipient of "Volunteer of the Year" award of the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce. Here he receives the award from Ann Hught, retiring chamber president.

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DOG OBEDIENCE — Sierra Madre Parks and Recreation Dept. is taking registration for the dog obedience class to start Wednesday, June 13, from 7 to 8 p.m. Don Patton, instructor, will provide an eight-week training course that will cover commands and the cost of $30 which will include a diploma at the end of the session. Those shown above are members of the last class. For more information, please call 355-7135.



THINKING OF HAVING A BABY? GO TO METHODIST — Methodist Hospital, with Ramon Ferra, M.D., and Marsha Nelson, R.N., in charge, has scheduled a meeting this evening, Thursday, June 7, 7 - 9 p.m. in Lewis Hall for those who are considering parenthood. There will be refreshments and a door prize. Methodist is located at 300 W. Huntington Dr., Arcadia. This is the second of a series of two meetings.

Legals

**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90042932
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

SOLUTIONS UNLIMITED, 199 South Los Robles No. 615, Pasadena, CA 91701.

Glen O. Burger, 6005 Eastwood Ave., Alta Loma, CA 91701.

Patricia J. Burbank, 544 Twin Palms Dr., San Gabriel, CA 91775.

This business is conducted by: co-partners.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 5/1/90.

Signed, Glen O. Burger, Jr.
Signed, Patricia J. Burbank

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on May 11, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
F455127
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

WESTHAVEN PROPERTY, 15751 Brookhurst St., Westminster, CA 92683.

Bih-Hwey Lin, 9657 E. Las Tunas Dr., Temple City, CA 91780.

Bih-Jen Lin, 9657 E. Las Tunas Dr., Temple City, CA 91780.

Hong-Nan Lin, 9657 E. Las Tunas Dr., Temple City, CA 91780.

The business is conducted by: an individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: 10/12/86.

Signed, Bih-Hwey Lin

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on Apr. 26, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90040059
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

YOUNG'S AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE CENTER, 125 W. Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California 91024.

Frank J. Marshal, 18809 Laxford Rd., Covina, CA 91722.

Shirley M. Marshal, 18809 Laxford Rd., Covina, CA 91722.

The business is conducted by: husband and wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: May 1, 1990.

Signed, Frank J. Marshal
Signed, Shirley M. Marshal

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 1, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90041970
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:

M & Y INVESTMENT COMPANY, 303 S. Almansor St. Suite 16, Alhambra, CA 91801.

Youhanna B. Fahim, 303 S. Almansor St., Suite 16, Alhambra, CA 91801.

Mona T. Fahim, 303 S. Almansor St., Suite 16, Alhambra, CA 91801.

The business is conducted by: a general partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: Jan. 1, 1990.

Signed, Youhanna B. Fahim

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 8, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90041957
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:

PASADENA SLOW-PITCH SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION, 468 Yucca Trail, Sierra Madre, CA 91024

Christopher Gene Barnes, 523 Yucca Trail, Sierra Madre, CA 91024

The business is conducted by: an individual

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name names listed above on: N/A

Signed, Chris Barnes

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 8, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90044359
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

MARLINE, 923 E. Mariposa St., Altadena, CA 91001.

Michael Martin McCann, 923 E. Mariposa St., Altadena, CA 91001.

Richard Allen Wininger, 11225 Gaviota Ave., Granada Hills, CA 91344.

The business is conducted by: a limited partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on:Not applicable.

Signed, Mike McGann
Signed, Rick Wininger

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 17, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90045436
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:

PURE ENERGY AUTO DETAILING, 2824 Fairgreen Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006.

Michelle Lee Stonecipher, 2824 Fairgreen Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006.

The business is conducted by: an individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed, Michelle L. Stonecipher

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 21, 1990

NOTICE — This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the county clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14400 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90044025
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:

THE STEEL KITTENS, 902 Edie, Duarte, CA 91010.

Belinda L. E. Quoq, 902 Edie, Duarte, CA 91010.

The business is conducted by: an individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed, Belnida Quoq

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 16, 1990.

NOTICE — This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed before that time.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: JOHN FRANCIS CONNAGHAN
CASE NO. GP000082

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of John Francis Connaghan.

A PETITION has been filed by Robert Connaghan in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles.

THE PETITION requests that: Robert Connaghan be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests the authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority allows the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative is required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to this petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on June 15, 1990, at 10:00 A.M. in Dept. NEA located at 300 E. Walnut, Pasadena, CA 91101.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should either appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing will not expire prior to four months from the hearing noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisement of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Joan L. Rogers
Petitioner
120 Lowell Ave.
Sierra Madre, CA 91024
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90044893
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:

VILLAGE AUTO CLINIC, 22 E. Montecito, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

William Erich Schlote, 431 E. Grandview Ave., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Lynn-Marie Schlote, 45 E. Grandview Ave., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

The business is conducted by: a husband and wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 2, 1990.

Signed, William E. Schlote
Signed, Lynn-Marie Schlote

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 18, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER THE ESTATE OF BETTY R. MALTBY
Case No. GP000037**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of Betty R. Maltby, Betty Regina Maltby.

A PETITION has been filed by Joan L. Rogers in the Superior Court of California, Pasadena Superior Court, Los Angeles County.

THE PETITION requests that Joan L. Rogers be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90041824
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

PETITE BEAUTY SALON, 185 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Marilyn A. Boardman, 292 W. Montecito No. P, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Jodie L. Boardman, 292 W. Montecito No. P, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

The business is conducted by: a joint venture.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: May 1, 1990.

Signed, Jodie L. Boardman
Signed, Marilyn A. Boardman

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 8, 1990.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF: HELEN R. FADER
CASE NO. GP000027

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Helen R. Fader.

A PETITION has been filed by Walter A. Fader, Jr. in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles.

THE PETITION requests that: Walter A. Fader, Jr. be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on June 8, 1990, at 10:00 a.m., in Dept. NEA located at 300 East Walnut Street, Pasadena, CA 91766.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

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Attorney for petitioner:
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May 24, 31, Jun 07

**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90042104
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

1) ARCADIA-WEST PRINTING. 2) C&D BUSINESS PRINTING, 1010 South Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia, Ca 91007.

Frederic David Thomas, 975 Pepperhill Rd., Pasadena, CA 91007.

Cloydine Beattie Thomas, 975 Pepperhill Rd., Pasadena, CA 91107.

This business is conducted by: husband and wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed, Frederick D. Thomas
Signed, Cloydine B. Thomas

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May 8, 1990.

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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
90040061
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:

THE BEAUTY SALOON/CRAFTY CUTTERS, 128 E. Live Oak Avenue, Arcadia, CA 91006.

Constance L. Black, 9519 Las Tunas Dr. Temple City, CA 91780.

Elmer W. Black, 9519 Las Tunas Dr., Temple City, CA 91780

The business is conducted by: a husband and wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on: N/A.

Signed, Constance L. Black
Signed, Elmer W. Black

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on May. 1, 1990.

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**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
DEPARTMENT OF THE
TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR**

Notice of Divided Publication

Pursuant to Sections 3381 through 3385, Revenue and Taxation Code, the Notice of Power to Sell Tax-Defaulted Property in and for Los Angeles County, State of California, has been divided and distributed to various newspapers of general circulation published in said county, for publication of a portion thereof in each of said newspapers.

Notice of Power To Sell Tax-Defaulted Property

Public notice is hereby given that real property taxes and assessments on the parcels described herein will, as of June 29, 1990, at 5 p.m., have been defaulted five or more years. By operation of law, the parcels listed will become subject to the Tax Collector's Power to Sell on July 1, 1990, at 12:01 a.m. Unless the property either has been redeemed or has been made subject to an installment plan of redemption initiated as provided by law prior to 5 p.m. on the last business day of June, 1990, the Tax Collector's Power to Sell will arise.

The amount, in dollars and cents, for which each property originally was declared to be tax-defaulted is set forth opposite the property's parcel number. If the property has not been redeemed or made subject to a valid installment plan of redemption by that time, the right of redemption will terminate at 5 p.m. on the last business day prior to sale by the Tax Collector.

All information concerning redemption or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption will, upon request, be furnished by SANDRA M. DAVIS, Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector, 225 North Hill Street, Los Angeles, California 90012.

Dated this 24th day of May 1990

SANDRA M. DAVIS
TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Assessor's Identification Numbering System Explanation

The Assessor's Identification Number, when used to describe property in this list, refers to the Assessor's map book, the map page, and the individual parcel number on the map page.

The maps referred to are available for inspection in the Office of the Assessor, 500 West Temple Street, Los Angeles, California 90012.

The Real Property that is the subject of this Notice is situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and is described as follows:

PROPERTY TAX-DEFAULTED IN THE YEAR 1985
FOR THE TAXES, ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER
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Thursday, May 31 & June 7, 1990

AN ORDINANCE PRESCRIBING INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER
SURCHARGE RATES FOR
COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT NO. 15 OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT NO. 15 OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.0 - WASTEWATER SURCHARGE RATES

Pursuant to Section 410 of the Wastewater Ordinance of District No. 15, the following shall constitute the unit rate charges for flow, chemical oxygen demand, suspended solids and peak wastewater discharge:

Parameter	Unit Rate
Flow ("a")	$321.00/million gallons
COD ("b")	49.80/1,000 pounds
SS ("c")	146.70/1,000 pounds
Peak ("d")	41.30/gallons per minute
Short Form Rate	1,374.00/million gallons

SECTION 2.0 - EFFECTIVE DATE

The rates provided for by this Ordinance shall be effective for fiscal year 1990-91. Fiscal year 1990-91 shall begin on July 1, 1990 and end on June 30, 1991.

/S/DON McMILLEN
Chairperson, Board of Directors
County Sanitation District No. 15
of Los Angeles County

ATTEST:

/S/LONNY DIRKS
Clerk, Board of Directors
County Sanitation District No. 15
of Los Angeles County

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of County Sanitation District No. 15 of Los Angeles County on May 23, 1990, by the following vote:

AYES: Directors Young, Lowes, Richards, Fasana, Garcia, Chico, Alderete, Bartlett, Pizzorno, Chu, Hughston, Imperial, Crowell, Perez, Breazeal, Tarozzi, Sawyer, and McMillen

NOES: None

ABSENT: Directors Castaneda, Maurer, and Schabarum

/S/LONNY DIRKS
Secretary, Board of Directors
County Sanitation District No. 15
of Los Angeles County

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Scottish Country Dancing

A new session in Scottish Country Dancing will begin in the Parish House of St. Barnabus Church, 2109 Chickasaw Avenue, Eagle Rock, on Thursday evening, June 6. Beginners dance from 7 to 8:30 p.m., followed by dances for the more experienced to 10 p.m.

Teachers are Eve and Jerry Lubin and Connie Gaulter. For information call Eve or Jerry Lubin at (213) 820-1181. There is ongoing, open enrollment with a $3 fee for each class, or 10 classes for $24.

'An Inspector Calls' at Playhouse

"An Inspector Calls" by J.B. Priestley is an eerie mystery thriller about a woman's suicide and a respected family's involvement in her undoing is suspected. Opens June 8, runs through July 14. Showtimes are Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., matinee 2:30 p.m. Sundays, June 24 and July 1. Sierra Madre Playhouse is located at 87 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, $4. to $7.50 admission. Reservations are required by calling (818) 355-4318.

'Chronos'

"Chronos," award-winning cinematographer Ron Fricke's popular film, concludes its engagement at the California Museum of Science and Industry Imax Theater June 8. The film visits monuments of Western Civilization such as St. Peter's Basilica, the Great Pyramids and Stonehenge, capturing the essence of each without narration. Composer Michael Stearns wrote the original sound track. Audiences take an accelerated boat ride down the Seine River in Paris, France, through the magic of the computer-precise, motion-controlled, time-lapse photography featured in "Chronos." The film screens 9 p.m. daily. Call (213) 744-2014 for more information.

Dodger Stadium organist

Dodger organist Nancy Hefley will work with children at the Los Angeles Children's Museum on Saturday, June 9 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. as "Games" Month continues with a wide variety of games and other activities. Hefley will use the electronic keyboard in the museum's recording studio to demonstrate traditional ballpark songs and chants while involving the children in her performance.

The Children's Museum is located at 310 N. Main St. in downtown Los Angeles, one block northeast of City Hall. Weekend hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is $4 per person; children under two are free. For 24-hour recorded information, please call (213) 687-8800.

Owens Valley Pottery

The Southwest Museum will present a demonstration by California artist-potter Richard Stewart on Saturday, June 9, from noon to 3 p.m. in the museum's Norman F. Sprague Jr. Gallery. Stewart will demonstrate coil pottery-making techniques of the Owens Valley Paiute, using native clay and imagery derived from petroglyphs found in the area. A lecture interpreting the traditions and mythology of the Owens Valley Paiute will accompany the presentation.

General admission to the demonstration is $7 for adults and $3 for children 12 and under. For museum members the price is $5 for adults and $2 for children. Reservations are required. Please call (213) 221-2164.

Barry Manilow

On Saturday evening, June 9, singer Barry Manilow will be live in Beverly Hills providing the entertainment for The Center for the Partially Sighted's ninth annual Night for Sight Dinner Gala at the Beverly HIlton. Thats when Southern California's premier nonprofit low vision center will give Vision Awards to Jack Wishard, vice president of Proctor & Gamble Productions, Inc., and comedian/actor Alan King.

Tickets for the gala benefit are $200 each. For information or to order tickets, call Jeanne Lesavoy at (213) 395-3399.

Masters of Harmony

The Masters of Harmony, a local award-winning Barbershop singing chorus, present their "Go For the Gold" show, Saturday, June 9, at 7:30 p.m.

Over 100 men will take the stage of Glendale High School Auditorium, 1440 E. Broadway, Glendale, to present what promises to be an unforgettable show.

Tickets are $15 and are available from Gary Ahlfeldt, (818) 793-5959.

John Moran exhibition

The June 12 John Moran exhibition and auction at the Pasadena Center will highlight some noted works of art by both California and other American artists.

The event will be in the lower level Conference Building of the Pasadena Center, 300 E. Green St., Pasadena.

For further information, call (818) 793-2122.

On Stage

By Mary Cogswell Baum

Not so long ago, the town of Monrovia supported two small theaters, the Park Plaza Playhouse and the Old Town Music Hall. For various reasons, some personal, some financial, both closed. But now a new unpublicized group, the Monrovia Center Theater, has taken over the stage of the old Music Hall on Lemon, just east of Myrtle.

"Something's Afoot" is a musical, inspired by all those standard mysteries, especially those of Agatha Christie, and cheerfully making fun of the lot. It is satisfying to note that the production is top notch. The actors have achieved some real ensemble playing, the setting, one of those large English country houses, is satisfactorily achieved, the costumes are perfect, and the whole thing has an energy and polish delightful to behold.

The plot involves a motley group of weekend guests who arrive at an isolated house only to discover that their host is dead. Soon other people begin dying off in various unlikely ways and the amateur detective work begins. Sound familiar?

The characters are all comic stereotypes, of course. There is the saucy maid, Gita Isak, whose fate is especially spectacular, a shifty-eyed caretaker, Nick Charles, a stiff butler, Paul Fearn, an ingenue to end ingenues, Gail Alexander, a wise family doctor, Rick Lorenz, an appropriately slimy and dissolute nephew, Steve Williams, a mysterious grande-dame, Fran Maddocks, and an old army man, Jerry Marble, whose death scene is quite unique. Miss Tweed, the amateur detective, is slickly created by Robin LaValley, evidently a lady of considerable experience, and she is also credited with the amusing choreography. Gary White plays the male love interest and also directs, no easy task.

Bonnie Onken is musical director, and everybody sings the songs with abandon while Nancy Ramos accompanies.

It's a joy to welcome a new theater group with such a professional standard. Whatever will they do for an encore?

There is just one more weekend to catch this charmer, June 8 and 9 at 8:15 p.m. Call 303-9521.

Plays that tell their story clearly do not have to be explained, so it is usually with trepidation that one finds the program full of explanation. It's not that "The Aristocrats" by Brian Friel, currently at the Mark Taper, is a bad play. It just seems unfocused, as are its drifting characters. They have been, or their family has been, people of consequence in their little corner of Ireland. Their large manor house is gradually decaying, and a young writer who is trying to document the influence of the upper class Irish Catholic families, a rare breed, on the ever-continuing "troubles" finds the family entirely cooperative, but living almost entirely in a dream world. Little matters that does not concern them directly. One sister is alcoholic, one brother tells detailed stories about things that never happened, at least to him. A younger sister, about to be married, alternates between terror and love's young dream. There's an uncle who simply glares at people and an older sister who once had a fling at social activism but has retreated to the proper behavior demanded by her once domineering but now dying father. And there is a sympathetic "peasant" from the village who seems to be the one who makes their impractical lives work.

And there they are. What influence do they have? None.

The story of the once important family in the process of withering away has been told many times. The Irish seem to think that everything they do is fascinating. This is less fascinating that most. The actors, as usual, are superb.

"The Aristocrats" plays through July 1.

Casting begins at S.M. Playhouse for 'Inspector Calls'

Casting has just been completed and rehearsals in progress for the Sierra Madre Playhouse's production of J.B. Priestley's eerie mystery, "An Inspector Calls," which will have an 8 p.m. champagne opening on June 8.

The production, under the direction of John Francis, continues performances at 8 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays, through July 14 with matinees at 2:30 p.m. on Sundays, June 24 and July 1.

Featured in the cast are Gary Page, Kevin McDonald, Veronique Merrill, James Ledford, Susan Gunther, Brad Kahn, and Evelyne Tollman.

The play deals with the suicide of a young woman, and a respected family is interrogated for suspicion of involvement in the young woman's undoing. The plont contains numerous strange twists culminating in a surprising revelation.

Tickets are $7.50 for adults, $6.50 for students and senior citizens, $4 for children under 12. Group rates are available. For reservations call the theater at (818) 355-4318.

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Auditions to open for 'Papa Is All'

Auditions for "Papa Is All," a comedy about a Mennonite family written by Patterson Greene, will be held at the Sierra Madre Playhouse, 87 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, on Sunday, June 10 at 2 p.m. and Monday, June 11, at 7:30 p.m.

All roles are open, including two women in their 40s, one man in his 40s, bearded but no moustache; one woman in her early 20s, one man in his late teens to early 20s, one male with age range of mid-20s to mid-30s.

Production dates are July 27 through Sept. 1. For further information, contact director Bill Martyn at (818) 358-5323.

CLO classes set at auditorium

The San Gabriel Valley Civic Light Opera will begin "Dance for Musical Theatre" classes on June 16, at their rehearsal room located at the San Gabriel Civic Auditorium, 320 S. Mission Dr., San Gabriel. The classes will have a special emphasis on dance for musical theatre and class instruction will include ballet, tap, character, jazz and adagio forms of dance, in addition to audition and make-up techniques.

All classes will be taught by Rikki Lugo, Civic Light Opera's resident choreographer. Auditions will be required for class enrollment. Class fees are $7 per session.

Auditions will be held on Saturday, June 9 at the CLO Rehearsal Room at the San Gabriel Civic Auditorium. Auditions will be held at 10 a.m. for those aged 7-16; at noon for those who are primarily singers/actors aged 17 and up; and at 1 p.m. for professional / advanced dancers aged 17 and up. Auditioners aged 7 - 16 and singers/actors aged 17 and up should have a song prepared. All auditioners need to bring a resume, photo and wear dance attire.

Classes begin on Saturday, June 16. For additional information call the Civic Light Opera offices at (818) 281-9444.

Gem show June 15, 16, 17

The GLDA Gem Show will feature gold and silver jewelry for sale at the Pasadena Center, 300 E. Green St., Pasadena on June 15, 16 and 17.

In addition to jewelry, the exhibits and items for sale will highlight precious colored and loose gem stones, beads, crystals and pearls.

On Friday, June 15, the event will be open in the Exhibition Hall from noon to 6 p.m.; Saturday, June 16, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, June 17 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For further information, call the Pasadena Center at (818) 793-2122.

Assessor Lynch to speak to Republicans

Los Angeles County Assessor John Lynch will address Arcadia Young Republicans on June 12 at Le Papillon Reataurant in Monrovia.

There will be a 6:30 p.m. social and the meeting will begin at 7 p.m. For further information please contact Steve Samuelian at 447-1367.

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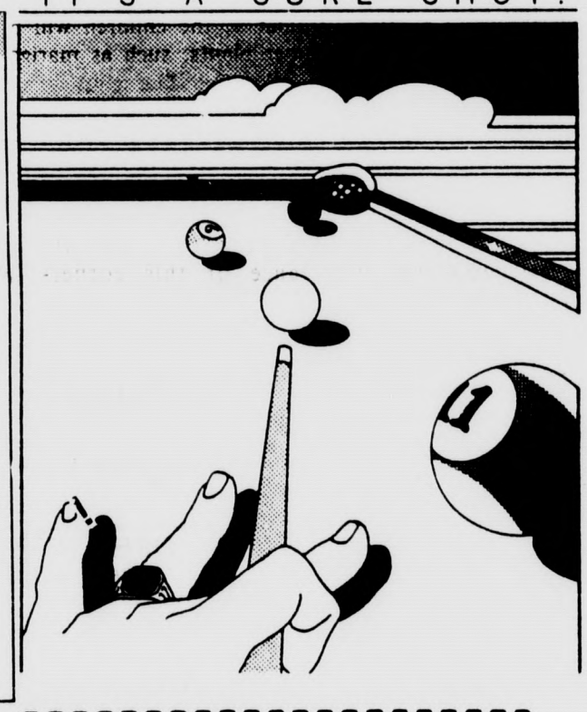
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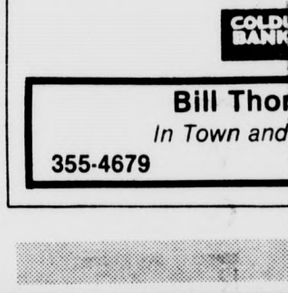
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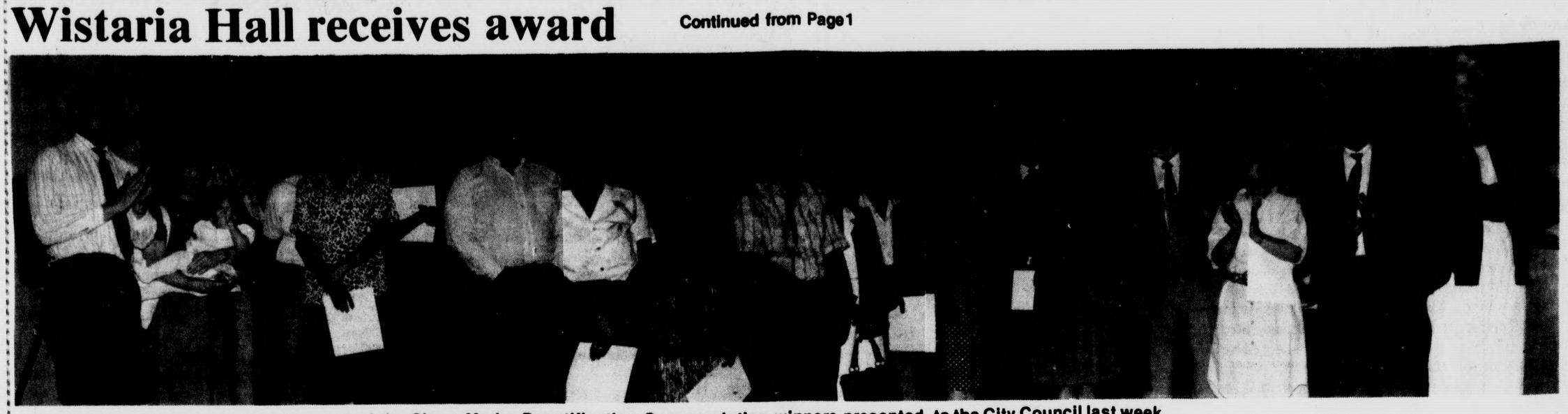
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Wistaria Hall receives award

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Shown in these eight columns are most of the Sierra Madre Beautification Commendation winners presented to the City Council last week.



WISTARIA WINNERS ENJOY PATIO — Shirley Rosenkranz and Fran Powell are shown here in the patio area at the back of the Wistaria Award-winning home in Sierra Madre. The arbor was built to support the exp-anding wistaria wine at the left.

Commendation winners, as announced at the last City Council meeting with comments by the Beautification Committee, follow:

Jeffrey and Julia Wong, 470 N. Michillinda Ave., "Trim bungalow with blue trim accented by a choice selection of blooming plants and potted plants . . . a very pretty picturesque home obviously kept with love."

The Jack Lamb family at 720 Edgeview Dr., "Eyecatching combination of a well-manicured lawn, with outcrops of fortnight lilies, brightly blooming azaleas, roses and Sierra Madre bould- the house is planted to touch is the stone lamb figurines at the door."

Carmen and Gregory Faciane, 201 W. Grandview, "An expansive do-it-yourself effort has transformed the landscaping and exterior appearance of this corner-located home."

Melinda and Todd Delahooke, 99 W. Mira Monte, "Beautifully maintained exterior of house and yard."

Cecile and Scott Goodwin, 430 Theresa Ln., "The front of the house is planted to conserve water and maintenance. Gazanias surround the mail box and house number."

Louise and Warren Dewler, 526 Camillo, "They chose to plant large trees, shrubs to control erosion, fire control on one acre of bare hill. They've been planting for 24 years. Camillo is alive with bottle brush they have planted."

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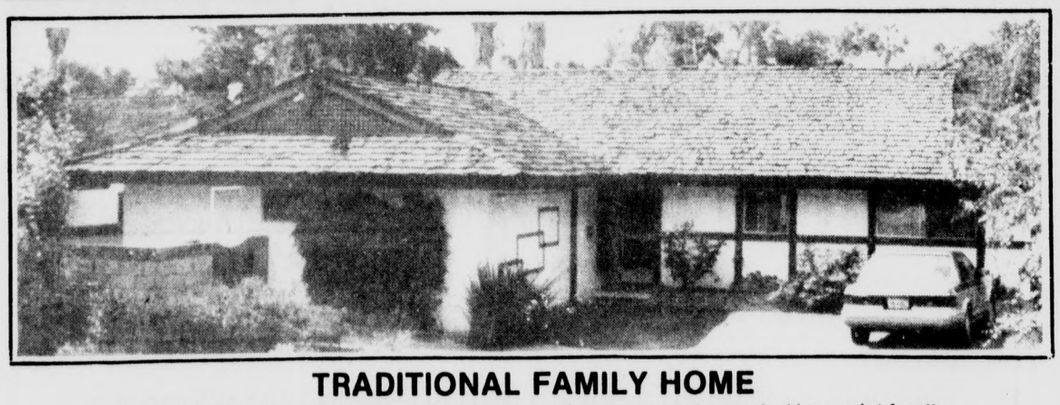
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On Sunday morning, June 10, at the 8:15, 9:45 and 11:15 services, Pastor Dick Anderson will be preaching on the topic "I Fell At His Feet As A Dead Man," using Revelation 1:1-20 as his Biblical reference.

If you were to see Jesus Christ, what do you think would happen? When the Apostle John saw Christ after His ascension into Heaven, he dropped to the ground like a dead man. He simply collapsed. The awesomeness of what it was like to see Jesus Christ, the Son of God, took all the strenghth out of John and he fell flat on his face.

I believe the same thing would be true today if you or I were to see Jesus in His glorified state. We too would fall down at His feet with no sense of vitality left in us. We too would collapse.

One day in the future, we will see Him. Are you ready for that day? Have you made your peace with the King? Think about that day and start now to get ready for this awesome confrontation. Jesus wrote seven letters to help people get ready to meet Him. We are going to look at those letters together in the coming weeks. I want you to be ready.

At the 6 p.m. Sunday evening service there will be a special reception for our new members. Pastor Anderson will be giving a Bible Study that will be of interest to all ages. Come join us for a great evening.

Gloria Dei

The sermon theme for next Sunday at Gloria Dei Evangelical Lutheran Church at 186 W. Highland Ave. in Sierra Madre is "The Big Mistakes of a Big Man." It is based on John 3:1-15. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study follow. We invite you to be our guests.

Why are there so many denominations? For the same reason that people in the Old Testament days followed so many false gods. The reasons are the work of Satan and the sin of man. Satan is the father of lies (John 8:44) and is not bound by the restraints of truth. He is behind all false worship and all false doctrine. He is to blame for every failure to follow the Word of God exclusively.

It may seem to be a strange disadvantage for Christians to be bound to tell the truth alone to bring about good spiritual results. But, the goal's are God's. And the means are God's. It is the truth, His truth, that makes us free and keeps us His disciples (John 8:31-32).

St. Rita's

Roger Wagner to direct choirs at special mass

June 23 marks the first anniversary of the death of our beloved Cardinal Timothy Manning. The Archdiocese has planned a special memorial on that evening in his memory. Services will begin at 7 p.m. in Saint Vibiana's Cathedral. Solemn Evening Prayer will be followed by a performance of the Faure Requiem presented by combined choirs under the direction of Dr. Roger Wagner. All in the Archdiocese are invited and encouraged to attend.

Catholic Communication Campaign

Pentecost is celebrated as the church's birthday. The fullness of the Spirit empowers God's people to transform the world into the world God wants. As Christians, let us remember that we are sent by Christ to spread his message of love.

The Catholic Communication Campaign is a service to the church and to the ministries of the church. Through this service, CCC helps to fulfill the special spiritual and pastoral needs of minorities, of those with disabilities, children, parishes, religions, communities, and society and to present the diverse issues each faces.

The CCC is people and technology devoted to sharing the values of the Gospel message. The Catholic Communication Campaign is the support through which these ideas are developed into a video, a radio or television program, a newspaper or magazine, or a teleconference. CCC is also a network of local and diocesan communicators who provide their parishes, schools and communities with services that teach and share the Good News.

United Methodist

By Rev. Rich LaShure

Last Sunday the church season of Pentecost began. Pentecost is the season of the Holy Spirit. The main Bible text for Pentecost is the second chapter of the book of Acts (right after John in your New Testament).

On the first Pentecost, all of the apostles had gathered in one place, when suddenly they heard the rushing of a mighty wind and tongues of flame danced on the shoulders of each one. They began to speak in other tongues (glossalalia), and onlookers were able to understand the words in their own native languages. Both multiplication and translation of tongues took place. It was an ecstatic moment like that of Moses and the burning-but-not-consumed bush.

There is a vital theological shift here — a shift from the individual's personal experience of God to the corporate experience of God through the community of the church.

You may have heard someone say, "I can worship God just as well at my mountain cabin as I can in any church." No one would want to deny that the Creator is present in the great out-of-doors. Yet following Pentecost, Christians believed that the group, not the individual, is the basis for true worship. We can experience God wherever we might happen to be, but our worship of God is best expressed in actions of loving concern to our coworshiper. Come to church this Sunday and find a friend!

Obituaries

Nathaniel (Bud) Van De Verg

Services were held Wednesday morning at 11 a.m. for Nathaniel (Bud) Van De Verg of Sierra Madre who died June 4. The services were at Santa Anita Church.

Mr. Van De Verg was born Dec. 14, 1911, in Inglewood.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree from the School of Commerce at USC and did graduate work at UC Berkeley. He received an MS in mechanical engineering at UCLA. Mr. Van De Verg was a life member of Sigma Nu Fraternity.

He was the 14th employee hired by Jet Propulsion Laboratory and had enjoyed a career in the aerospace industry.

Mr. Van De Verg was awarded an honorary life membership by Sigma Xi, the Scientific Research Society for his contribution in the development of rockets and missles. He was also a pioneer in the use of small computers for business applications.

Mr. Van De Verg was a long-time supporter of environmental improvement and listed among his memberships the Sierra Club and served as chairman of the Los Angeles Chapter of Air Pollution Sub-Committee. He supported Nature Conservancy, The Wilderness Society and other environmental causes. He served on the California Air Pollution Control Board Committees and was an acknowledged expert in air pollution issues, having attended an intensive year-long seminar covering technical, economic and legal issues regarding air quality.

He had lived in Sierra Madre since 1948 and was an avid hiker. He spent many weeks during each year in the Sierra.

During his retirement he could be found on the Mt. Wilson Trail several times a week, a place he discovered in his early childhood days at the end of the street car line.

Survivors include his wife, Martha; three sons, Eric of Anapolis, MD., Philip of Houston, Tex. and Peter of Kanehoe, Hi. Also surviving are two grandsons, Christopher and Gregory and a granddaughter, Cara.

Those wishing to remember Mr. Van De Verg with a memorial should consider the Sigma Nu Fraternity Research Fund, P.O. Box 1869, Lexington, VA 24450, Sierra Madre Search and Rescue Team or the Leukemia Society of America, 733 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10017.

Baruch to present program for Happy Hearts

Terrence Baruch, M.D., board-certified member of Methodist Hospital's Medical Staff, will discuss "Abnormalities of Heart Rhythm and Their Treatment," at the 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 20, meeting of the Happy Hearts group in the hospital auditorium.

Dr. Baruch's talk will help participants understand how the heart works, specifically how its beat is controlled. Common conditions that bring about an abnormal heart beat will be discussed.

Dr. Baruch received his medical degree from the University of Southern California School of Medicine, completed his internship and residency at Los Angeles County/USC Medical Center and completed a cardiology fellowship at Kaiser Permanente Hospital, with a speciality in Electrophysiology and Angioplasty.

Medicare/Insurance seminar June 14 at Methodist Hospital

A Medicare/Insurance seminar is scheduled at Methodist Hospital from 10 a.m. until noon, June 14, in the Education/Classroom area at Methodist Hospital, 300 W. Huntington Dr., Arcadia.

The seminar is designed to help participants understand what Medicare does and does not cover. It will also address the type of supplemental insurance to look for to help cover the "gaps" in Medicare.

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Dr. Tannenbaum to speak June 10

The Arthritis Club of the San Gabriel Valley will hold their next meeting June 10, Sunday, at 2 p.m. in Lewis Hall at the Methodist Hospital, 300 W. Huntington Dr., Arcadia.

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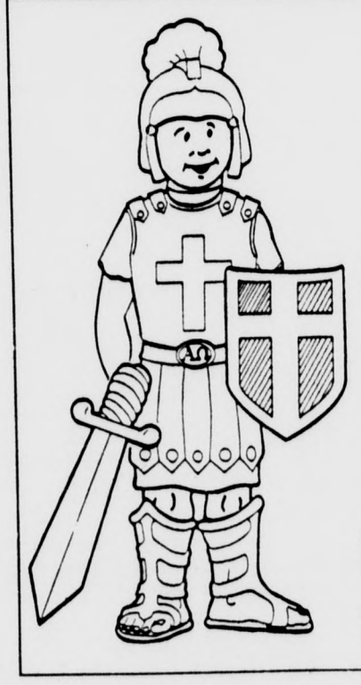
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Residents furious over possible parole office site

Massive protests against the siting of a state parole office at 3400-3410 East Foothill Blvd., Pasadena, were palnned last week by the Lower Hastings Ranch Association, according to Clifford Benedict, president.

Picketing of the O.K. Earl proposed parole office location will start at 11 a.m. today, Thursday, June 7 during rush hours. A protest rally will be held at 7 p.m. at the Nazarene Church Thursday, June 14, at 3700 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., Pasadena.

Irate Lower Hastings residents and merchants don't want this major parole office in the relatively crime-free East Pasadena neighborhood, according to Benedict. The office will service some 1100 parolees monthly, he said.

More than 10,000 protest cards have been printed and distributed for local residents to send to the 12 members of the Senate appropriations committee. A third supermarket was added to the current two where local residents can seek signatures to send to legislators, Benedict continued.

The State Department of Corrections has given a 60-day notice to Pasadena that it is considering the parole office to be located at 3400-3410 E. Foothill Blvd. The property is owned by O.K. Earl, a major Pasadena property developer.

In a letter to all area merchants, Benedict urged that Mayor Jess Hughston be advised of "your displeasure over this intended site."

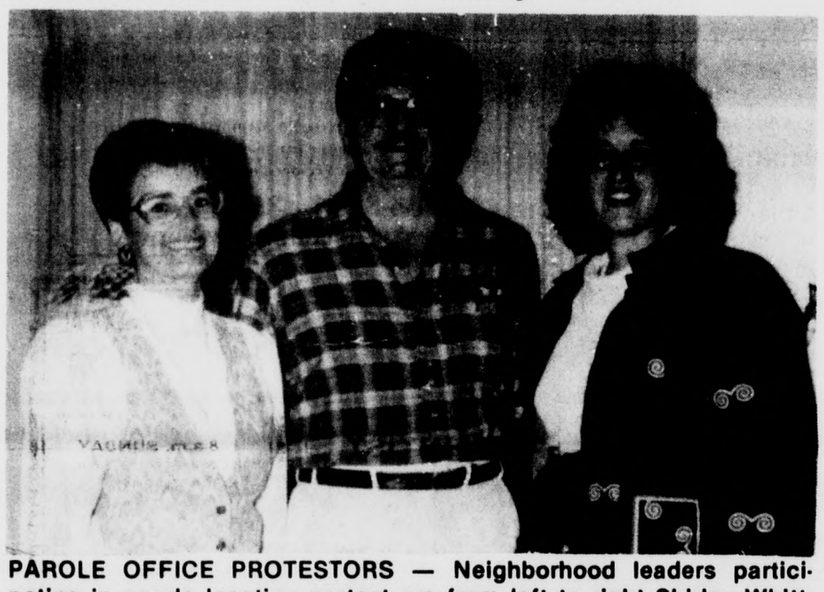
LeRoy Smith, owner of Smitty's garage, 3191 E. Foothill, voiced opposition to the proposed site. He told The News that "young girls walk along Sierra Madre Villa up to four times a day going to and from Wilson Junior High School. I fear for their safety and the safety of my customers who leave their cars for repair in the mornings to walk to work."

He added that some 80 percent of his customers are women.

He is also concerned about theft. "If we don't keep our cars locked up now, they are stolen," he pointed out. Smith is an original Upper Hastings homeowner and has been in business on East Foothill for 15 years.

Angry Lower Hastings residents and merchants have been joined in their protest by representatives of the Upper Hastings Ranch Association, the Daisy Villa Neighborhood Association, and the Lamanda Park Homeowners Association. Their membership represents more than 5000 local residents.

"We must protect our neighborhood," he continued. Picketing signs being prepared include such slogans as "Parolees are convicted felons," and "Protect our children, women and homes."



PAROLE OFFICE PROTESTORS — Neighborhood leaders participating in parole location protest are from left to right Shirley Whitt, president of Lamanda Park Neighborhood Association; Clifford Benedict, president of Lower Hastings Ranch Assocation; and Lynn Bienenfeld, vice president of Daisy Villa Neighborhood Association.

Photo by Creath Smiley



Christopher Dunckhorst

Duckhorst to achieve Eagle Scout status

Christopher Dunckhorst, an 18-year-old first year PCC student and graduate of Assumption Elementary School, will be the recipient of the Eagle Scout Award at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 27 at a Scout Court of Honor in the Assumption cafetorium, Pasadena.

The Eagle Scout award is the highest award presented to a scout, according to William Buller, Assumption Church Troop 31 Eagle Scout advisor. Three percent of the boys who enter scouting make Eagle, he said.

Both he and his wife, Sharon, are Eagle Scout Troop 31 advisors. "In the last five years, seven boys have made Eagle Scout from the troop," he said.

Christopher is now a PCC student interested in aerospace engineering. He plans engineering studies after PCC, perhaps at Cal Poly Pomona, he says. He is interested in photography and tennis. He has lived in Pasadnea all his life.

For his Eagle project, he organized some Troop 31 boys in a clean-up program in the picnic area of Eaton Canyon. His group painted tables and made the place more enjoyable as a recreational area, according to Buller. He led members of his Troop 31 team in the project spending more than 111 hours in the cleanup.

Christopher has been in scouting for seven years and is employed part-time. He attended Ribet Academy High School in La Canada. He is the son of David and Christina Dunckhorst, has one brother who is a second class scout. His scoutmaster is Joe Miranda.

Pasadena Kiwanians to host Carnival

Pasadena Center Chef Carlos Buentello is getting ready for the 27th annual Chefs' Carnival to be held on June 16 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Mishima Plaza, the outdoor amphitheater at the Pasadena Center.

Sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Pasadena, the Pasadena Center and Chefs de Cuisine Association, the gala fund-raising event will feature more than 25 professional chefs from the Chefs de Cuisine Association. Each will prepare their specialties for the dinner.

Local chefs participating include Wolfgang Kaufmann, Annandale Golf Club; Mark Adair, Doubletree Hotel; Robert Simon, Cafe Jacoulet; Michael Bebek, Pasadena Dessert Factory; Tod Stephens, Holiday Inn of Pasadena; and Jeanann Hamer, Jeanann's Bakery.

Continuous live entertainment will add to this year's theme of "Old Fashioned Gay '90s" which will also be carried out by the costumes worn by guests and decorations in Mishima Plaza.

Cost for the dinner is a $25 donation per person in advance or $30 at the door. Proceeds go to support Rosemary Cottage, a Pasadena residential treatment facility for teenage girls. Advance reservations are recommended and tickets are available at the Pasadena Center Box Office or Ticketron.

For further information, call (818) 793-2122.

Rainbow Awards given to 12 residents

Twelve blocks in Upper Hastings Ranch last Saturday received the coveted Rainbow Award for their outstanding landscaped blocks, neat yard appearance and general block decor.

The homes were judged by a committee of the Board of Directors of the Upper Hastings Ranch Association. Each house in a block was judged and graded, then averaged to select the 12 outstanding blocks, according to Joe Mahfoud, co-chairman of the Spring Beautification program. Kathy Riordan was the other co-chairman.

The winning blocks with the block representative were: Riviera Circle, no block captain; Alder Lane, John and Betty Winkler; Pine Bluff, Larry Harsha; Pear Orchard, John and Betty Winkler; Crestview, Ovena and Chet Mayo; Riviera, Jan Crohurst; Alegria, no block captain; Daveric, Robert Monson; Hastings Ranch Drive, Patrick Kramer; Sierra Madre Blvd, Kathy Riordan; Park Vista, Eleanor Turiace; and Edgeview, Jan Dunlap.



RAINBOW WINNERS — Hastings Ranch Rainbow winners are, left to right, UHRA co-chairman Joe Mahfoud, Patrick Kraemer, Renate and Gerd Lehner, and co-chairman Kathy Riordan.

Photo by Creath Smiley

Father's Day program June 17, Southwest Museum

Indian Summer continues at the Southwest Musuem with a special Father's Day program on Sunday, June 17 at 1:30 p.m. Renowned Najavo storyteller Geri Keams will tell traditional tales and legends of Native Americans.

An added treat will be the appearance of the Southern California Indian Children Dancers. General admission is $7 for adults and $3 for children 12 and under. Adult museum members are $5 and children $2. Reservations are required, please call (213) 221-2164.

New surgery technique provided at St. Luke

Last week doctors at St. Luke Medical Center performed a Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy on two patients. This is the first time that this procedure, which involves the removal of the gallbladder without the use of conventional surgery, has been performed in the San Gabriel Valley.

A Laparoscropic Cholecystectomy is performed by inserting four small tubes into the abdomen and then inflating the abdomen with carbon dioxide. One of the tubes, called a laparoscope, is fitted with a tiny camera and allows the surgeon to see the abdominal organs. The gallbladder is visualized, surgically incised and removed through a small naval incision. The patient is left with four small abdominal scars instead of the usual large incision.

Ordinarily, gallbladder surgery requires a four- to six-day stay in the hospital and an average of 36-recovery period. According to Edwin Suddleson M.D., the physician who performed the procedure, the new surgery shortens hospitalization to 12 to 24 hours and recovery time (back to normal activities) to one week. The procedure produces much less post-operative pain and, therefore, the patient requires less pain medication. The shortened hospital stay also reduces the cost of surgery.

Both patients at St. Luke Medical Center tolerated the surgery well.

Hastings Library features 'car talk'

Looking for a hobby that's fun and just might make you some money? Come to the Hastings Branch Library at 7 p.m. Monday, June 11 and hear Bill Jennings speak on "Restoring Antique Automobiles for Fun and Profit."

Jennings, of Jennings Antique Automobile Restoration, has been restoring Model T and Model A Fords since he was a boy watching his father, Don Jennings, turn rusty bodies and smashed radiators into showroom jewels.

The Hastings Branch Library is located at 3325 E. Orange Grove Blvd. Call 792-0945 for more details. Presented in cooperation with the Pasadena Senior Center as part of the library's Focus on 50 Plus series.



CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES

School ends next week and to all the new graduates, best wishes.

Whether you're job hunting or planning more school, clothes are still important.

For those of you who are to pursue a career, you night be interested in a symposium of employers held recently in which they discussed the problems newcomers have. Primarily the problems are clothes and appearance.

It all boils down to this: If you have chosen a particular firm you'd like to work for, look at the people who work there. If most skirts are at the knee, you can be fairly sure they will expect yours to be there too.

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Kathy Pluim

Kathy Pluim heads Highland Oaks PTA

Kathy Pluim was installed recently as president of Foothills Junior High School PTA at Baby Joe's Restaurant in Pasadena.

A five-year Arcadia resident, Pluim has been active at Highland Oaks Elementary School where she was chairman of the ice cream social, book fair and computer room. She was program chairman for two years, during which time she developed the Science Fair.

At Foothills she has been hospitality chairman and chairman of Scotty's Tennis Tournament.

Aside from PTA, she has been secretary on the American Youth Soccer board and was trophy/picture chairman for Arcadia Youth Basketball League. Currently an associate member, she has been secretary, resale chairman and benefit chairman for the Pasadena Day Nursery Guild.

A graduate of South Pasadena High School and Northern Arizona University, Pluim and her husband, Jan, have two children: Kevin, an eighth grader; and Tracy, a sixth grader.

Diane Palmer used the songs "The Right Stuff" and "Hangin' Tough" from The New Kids on the Block to install the new PTA officers, including Glad Baquet, first vice president, aide; Marcia Garrett, programs; Karen Hannegan, publicity; Cathy Barba, hospitality; Carolyn Fierson, membership; Barbara Kissel, ways and means; Palmer, recording secretary; and Terri Barringer, corresponding secretary.

Other officers are Renee Suchter, treasurer; Marilyn Hunt, historian; Keppie Sullivan, parliamentarian; and Sarah Sismondo, auditor.

Assisting with installation plans were Baquet, Karen Clark, Dorothy Hamada, Denise Moore, Shelly Romo and Sullivan.

Tot CPR June 9

A special opportunity for all parents is the Tot CPR class offered from 8 until 11 a.m. Saturday, June 9 at Methodist Hospital. The course teaches child safety in the home, provides the opportunity to practice infant and child-life-saving skills, and relief of airway obstruction. For additional information or pre-registration (fee $10) contact the Methodist Hospital Education Department at (818) 574-3473.

AHS students increase awareness during Environment Week activities

The focus of Water Conservation Day last week at Arcadia High School was urging students to conserve water and to recycle paper and aluminum cans. To accomplish these goals, members of the Executive Council and the Campus Beautification Committee organized a recycle relay, a paper/can drive and offered domestic bottled water.

Pep commissioner Nicole Schram explained that students were urged not to buy imported bottled water because of the energy needed to bring that water to the United States.

The Water Conservation focus was one of the theme days in a week-long Environment Week promotion which was an idea promoted by Mike Williams, "an aware student who has something to say and we listened," explained Amanda Sanchez, Associated Student Body treasurer.

Williams said that he was concerned about the environment and about having a safe place for his children. He felt that a student-run campaign to promote awareness of environmental issues might have a better influence on the students, "maybe kids will listen to other kids."

Newscasters from Channel 7 were on campus for Noise Pollution Day when Nina Blackwood, a former MTV video jockey, Danny Sheridan, a rock guitarist, and a spokesman from the House Ear Institute spoke about the ear damage that can be caused from listening to sounds that are too loud.

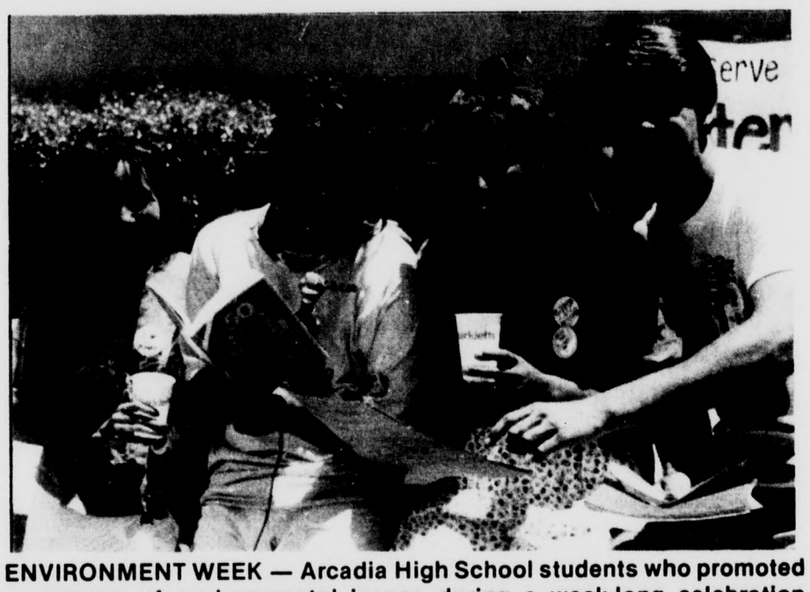
To further promote environmental awareness, statistics were printed in each day's student bulletin. "Two million trees would be saved each month if we recycled Sunday newspapers," is an example of those notices.

Other activities were a tree planting, a ban on serving meat in the school cafeteria, and "no-no" to aerosol and Styrofoam. Bike riding and carpooling were promoted as ways to reduce air pollution.



DOMESTIC WATER PROMOTION — Participating in a promotion to drink domestic bottled water instead of the imported products are Arcadia High School students Ozzie Nicastro, Mark Travisano, Mike Parisi, Scott Campbell and Josh Grohs. This promotion was one of numerous activities during Environment Week.

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ENVIRONMENT WEEK — Arcadia High School students who promoted awareness of environmental issues during a week-long celebration are Dianna Warren, sophomore senator; Mike Williams, who conceived the Environment Week idea; Amanda Sanchez, associated student body treasurer; and Wil Pedranti, senior senator. Each day different members of the Executive Council were in charge of lunchtime activities to promote awareness.

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City urges voluntary water conservation

The Arcadia City Council joins other Southern California governmental bodies in urging voluntary water conservation. Eldon Davidson, water manager for the city of Arcadia, encourages residents to recognize the seriousness of the drought situation and take a more concentrated effort in this voluntary water conservation program.

If the voluntary program is not successful, it may become necessary for the City Council to implement one or more of the five phases of an ordinance passed in June of 1977. This could include prohibiting use of hose washing of sidewalks, driveways and parking areas; use of water to clean, fill or maintain levels in decorative fountains unless such water is part of a recycling system; restaurants serving water to customers unless expressly requested; and lawn watering between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

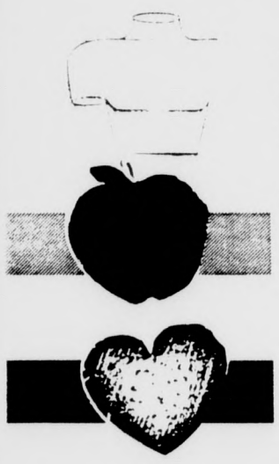
Other phases of the ordinance involve mandatory percentage curtailments ranging from 10 percent to 25 percent with financial penalties for use in excess of the amount permitted by the particular conservation phase in effect.

The Main San Gabriel Basin Watermasters, a court-created agency that oversees the San Gabriel Valley's vast underground water supplies, voted to cut allowable pumping rights by almost six percent for the next fiscal year, from July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1991.

This means that Arcadia must cut back pumping from underground wells by six percent less than the previous year or purchase the more expensive imported water, if it is available, to make up the difference, explains Davidson in a communication received by The News last week.

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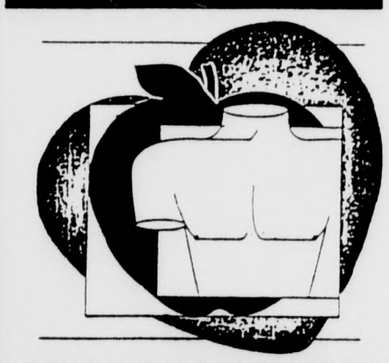
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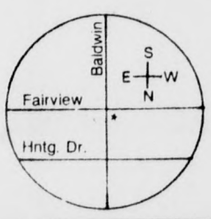
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Victor Christen enjoys life at 101; honored as Older American



PEACOCK PIN FOR CHRISTEN — Kel Mason, center, executive of the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce, pins a city peacock pin on Victor Christen as Monrovia Mayor Bob Bartlett looks on during a recent reception in Christen's honor.

Sierra Madre New photo

"I'm just sticking around to see what the hell is going to happen next," said 101-year-old Victor Christen, who was honored recently by the Arcadia Social Security office in recognition of Older Americans Month.

"I never thought of dying, 'cause that's the time you go," continued the 13-year Arcadia resident who still is actively involved in a career as car salesman for Foulger Ford.

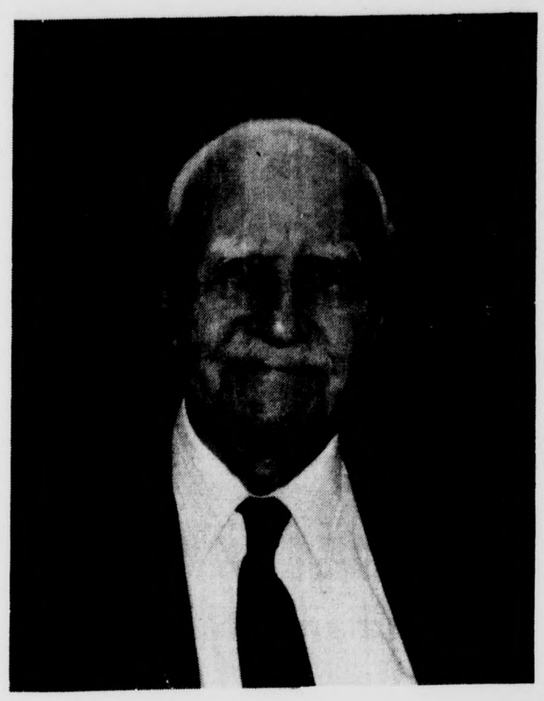
He began his career in the automobile business at the age of 16 when he became a mechanist toolmaker for Yale Motor Car in Toledo, Ohio. His tenure in the business took him to Pope-Toledo Company, a forerunner of Willys-Overland, now part of Chrysler Corporation, and to Flint and Lansing, Mich., where he worked in the tool rooms for the Buick and Oldsmobile plants.

He also invented two different methods of cleaning windshields, one hand-operated model cleaned both inside and outside of the glass at the same time. However, when automatic wipers came on the market, "I was automatically out of business," quipped the centenarian.

When he moved to California in 1937, he began a new career, selling for Stearns and Company and stayed with the drum manufacturer until he became 70 years old. That's when he turned to selling cars at Carl Hansen Ford in Sierra Madre, the Colliau Chevrolet in South Pasadena and Huntington Ford, which later became Foulger Ford in Arcadia.

Christen still drives, speaks "German as well as English," belongs to three Arcadia senior citizen groups, "reads a lot" and says that he is "enjoying life now more than ever before."

Three other seniors who are residents of the Huntington Convalescent Hospital have been honored by the local Social Security office. They are Louise Inverson, Lilian Chapman and Florence Legacy.



Victor Christen

Free water conservation kits available at city hall

If all of Arcadia's 12,960 water customers installed a toilet tank displacement bag, at a savings of ½ gallon per flush, approximately 28 million gallons of water would be saved annually, reports Rita Kurth, administrative assistant to the water division for the city of Arcadia.

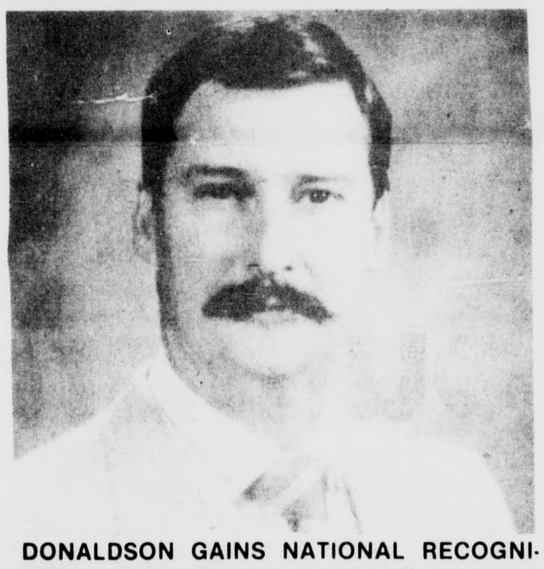
She announces that water conservation kits, which include the toilet tank displacement bag, are available from the water division at City Hall at no charge for Arcadia customers.

Because California is experiencing the fourth consecutive year of drought conditions, water conservation efforts are critical to assure consumers of adequate water supplies in the future, adds Kurth.

The conservation kits are designed to save water in showers, faucets and toilets. In addition to the displacement bag, the kit contains flow restrictors and safe dye tablets that detect silent toilet leaks.

If every Arcadia customer installed a flow restrictor on their showers, the flow would be cut from six gallons per minute to three gallons per minute. This reduction would save 15 gallons for each five-minute shower and could save 500,000 gallons city-wide each year.

Arcadia's City Council encourages local residents to voluntarily reduce water consumption by 10 percent. If voluntary measures are not successful, it may be necessary to implement mandatory water use restrictions, according to Kurth.



DONALDSON GAINS NATIONAL RECOGNITION — Robert Donaldson of Arcadia has been named First-Year District Representative of the Month by Aid Association for Lutherans for his work in providing fraternal benefits to AAL members in the Arcadia area. He became involved with the insurance industry after injuries sustained in a fall forced him to seek a career change. For 16 years he had been a truck driver for local dairies.

Valedictorian David Park achieves highest GPA in Arcadia High history

David Park, an Arcadia High School senior, will have his Grad Night Party cut short as he and his parents, D.W. and Sue Park, and his brother, Ed, an eighth grader at Foothills Junior High School, will catch a late evening plane on Friday, June 15 for Washington, D.C., where David will be honored as a 1990 Presidential Scholar.

Accompanying the Park family will be Lynn Kinikin, the honoree's English teacher, who has been identified by the scholar as most influential in his accomplishments. She will be recognized as a Scholar's Distinguished Teacher and will be honored at a special reception along with the scholars.

The Presidential Scholar recognition is but one of numerous honors earned by this 17-year-old senior who is his class valedictorian, an honor bestowed on the student with the highest grade point average. His 4.66 GPA is the highest of any Arcadia High student in the school's history and will probably increase to over 4.7 when grades for the current semester are recorded.

Park has achieved this GPA with all A's in his classes that have included nine advanced placement subjects. As a senior he took six of those classes. He has taken five AP tests and has received a top score of 5 on each one and still is waiting to find out the results of four more AP tests he has taken.

Though he was accepted at Harvard, Stanford and Caltech, Park has selected to go to Massachusetts Institute of Technology, because it is located in "a fascinating area" and he wants "a change." He will study computer science but is keeping his options open as to whether to pursue a career in medicine or corporate law.

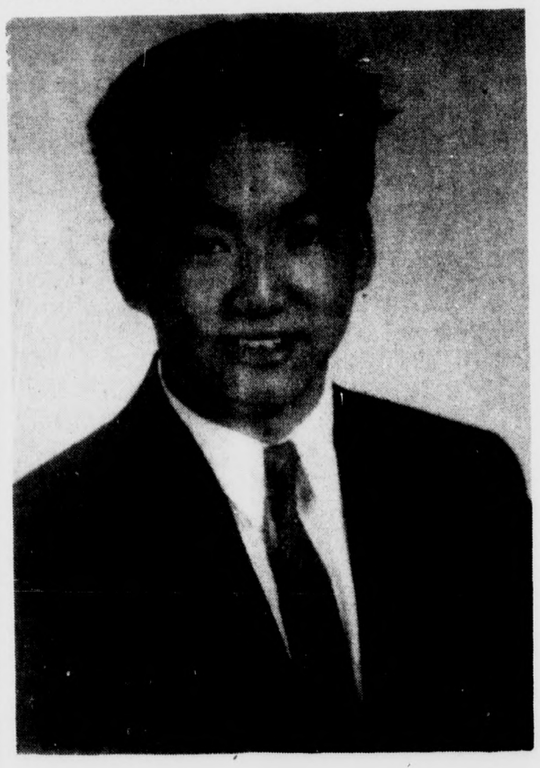
A summer research internship at the City of Hope working on radiation oncology is expected to influence his career decision.

Park attributes his academic success to "hard work and luck." He says that he is determined to do well but that he has been lucky because "all the situations are just right."

But don't think that he spends all of his time studying. He plays the cello for the Pasadena Young Musician Orchestra, the Pasadena Summer Youth Chamber Orchestra and for the church Orchestra at the Korean Philadelphia Presbyterian Church in Los Angeles.

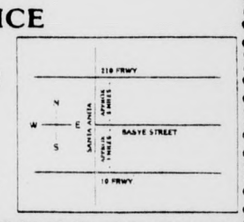
He has done extensive windsurfing for five years and played junior varsity tennis for two years at Arcadia High. He is president of the Youth Disaster Action Team, a member of the Arcadia Red Cross Board of Directors, secretary of Senior Men and senior class treasurer.

While 1600 is a perfect score on the Scholastic Aptitude Test, Park scored 1590, perfect on the English portion and missing one question in math.



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Junior high students tricycle for Peace Corps project funds

Bill Morgan's Coacher Cruisers won the tricycle race finals at Foothills Junior High School. The two week-long student body effort raised funds for two new Peace Corps projects, a poultry house in Botswana, Africa and laboratory equipment for a secondary school in Malawi, Central Africa.

Each of Foothills' 23 classrooms competed in preliminary heats of the 10-man tricycle relay, which covered the school's 440 track. Last week the seven finalists were challenged by a team of teachers, the Faculty Flyers, which came in second. Cindy Greenup's history class, the Golden Knights, finished third.

All in all, $285 was raised for the Peace Corps Partnership Projects.

Foothills' students also sponsored a dance last week and will encourage a "Buck for a Cluck" during an upcoming donation day to meet pledges of $562.50 for the laboratory equipment and $207.86 for the poultry house.

The junior high student body previously donated the funds for a basketball court in Lamotreck, Micronesia.

Assistant principal Mark LaForest said that because everyone had so much fun with the tricycle race competition, it will probably become an annual affair.



TRICYCLE RESERVE CHAMPS — Foothills Junior High School teacher Tal Jones propells (forget the pedals) his vehicle in the final leg of the tricycle race finals, a fund-raiser for the school's Peace Corps projects. Jones raced for the Faculty Flyers, second place finishers in the race.
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ON YOUR MARK — James Crouch, Robbie Leib and Edison Chen get ready for the first leg of a tricycle relay to raise funds for two Peace Corps projects in Africa which have been adoped by the Foothills Junior High School student body. Crouch's Lamda Lamda Lamda team won the heat with a time of 4:09 over the 440 track.
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Minutemen plan golf tournament

The Maranatha High School football program is sponsoring the second annual Minutemen Golf Tournament on Friday, July 13 at the Santa Anita Golf Course.

Team prizes will be given for both low and high scores, while individual honors will be awarded for the longest drive and the closest to the pin.

The entry fee of $45 per golfer includes green fee, golf cart and dinner in the Santa Anita G.C. clubhouse. Cost for dinner only is $20 per person.

For further information, contact head football coach Dave Hogan at (818) 355-4242 or (213) 867-9416.

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Charles G. Stanislawski, CPA, will discuss "Current Developments Applicable to the Concerned Real Estate Investor" at the regular monthly meeting of the Foothill Apartment Association, Monday, June 11, 7:30 p.m., Glendale Federal Bank, 100 S. First Ave., Arcadia. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited to attend. Phone (818) 793-5873 for more information.

Kaycee Fortanese fights for trophy

Fourteen-year old Kaycee Fortanesce is a fighter. She proved that when she won the Grand Reserve Trophy at the recent Spring National Red Dragon karate competition.

An orange belt, this St. Rita eighth grader won the trophy by taking first in kata and weapons and third in musical kata and kumite in competition against 24 boys. The final phase of the competition is a full-contact fight with chest protectors, and her father, Vincent Fortanesce, a local neurologist, initially said, "You're not to fight."

Kaycee, at 5'1" and 102 pounds, came back with "Why, because I'm a girl?" She did fight, and her third place finish was sufficient to accummulate enough points to win the trophy. She is the first girl to win the Grand Reserve title for which some 350 students were vying.

Kaycee's biggest fight, however, began 10 years ago when she became a victim of Reyes Snydrome and had to fight for her life. "It's an amazing fete (winning the trophy) for a girl who could have been in a wheel chair," explains a proud father.

With the encouragement from her father, a black belt, and mother, who was the Italian National Karate Champion in her division, Kaycee took up the sport just a year ago.

In her first competition, she placed third and took second place in competition with 1000 entries at the International Western Championship. At the National Karate Championship in February she won two seconds and a fourth. As a second degree orange belt, she outranks both of her brothers: 17-year-old Vinnie and 11-year-old Michael.

Kaycee says she likes karate because it is "peaceful, not like in the movies" and because it teaches respect and cooperation. She admits that kumite or sparring is "kinda scary" but working out with her brothers helps her prepare for that phase of karate competition.

This St. Rita cheerleader also plays softball for her school team and for Pasadena Little League and has been selected for several All-Star teams.

She will next compete for another karate trophy on Fathers' Day. and father must resign himself to the fact that his little girl is a fighter.



GRAND CHAMPION TROPHY — Caycee Fortanasce shows her father, Vince Fortanasce, the Grand Champion trophy she won at the recent Spring Nationals. Behind them are other trophies won by Kaycee and her brothers, Michael and Vinnie.

GIRLS SOFTBALL

Scores for the week of May 28 - June 3 in Sierra Madre Athletic Association's girls softball were as follows:

Junior Division:

California Girls — 29, Batcrackers, 2

Amy Gaston pitched a two-hitter for California Girls and knocked in four runs. Melissa Veirs also brought in four runs for the win.

Green Hornets — 4, Classy Cleats — 4

Green Hornets rallied to tie and maintain a ½-game lead.

Classy Cleats — 25, Batcrackers — 0

Classy Cleats tied Green Hornets for division lead.

Green Hornets — 13, Hot Shots, 4

Classy Cleats — 7, Batcrackers (forfeit)

The standings as of June 3 for Junior Division are Green Hornets in first with 8-1-1, Classy Cleats with 8-1-1, California Girls with a 5-4 record, Hot Shots registering 1-8 and Batcrackers with 1-9.

Intermediate Division:

Madre Express — 19, Madre Dolphins — 1

Fillies — 25, Hot Shots — 1

Kim Dotson pitched a two-hitter for Fillies. Allie Carsia scored five runs and Megan Polizzi and Katey McMurray each had four RBI for winners. Fillies homeruns by Marianne El Sonbaty and Christy Valencia.

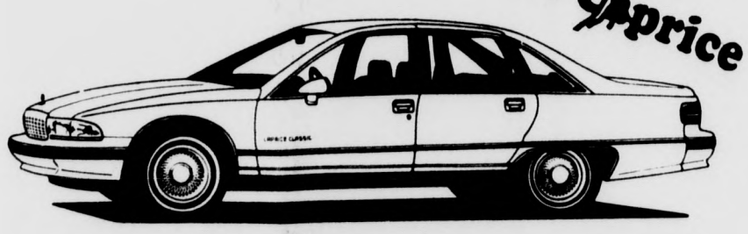
Blue Jays — 15, Blue Angels — 8

Madre Express — 12, Hot Shots — 8

Grand slam homerun by Jo Boyadjian rallied Express from a 5-0 deficit to victory.

Standings as of June 3 for the Intermediate Division are Fillies in first with a 11-0 record, Madre Express following in second with 8-2, Blue Jays in third with 6-5, Hot Shots registering 3-8, Blue Angels with a record of 2-8 and Madre Dolphins with 1-8.

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